

# Towards a consistent jet quenching picture at RHIC (and LHC ?)

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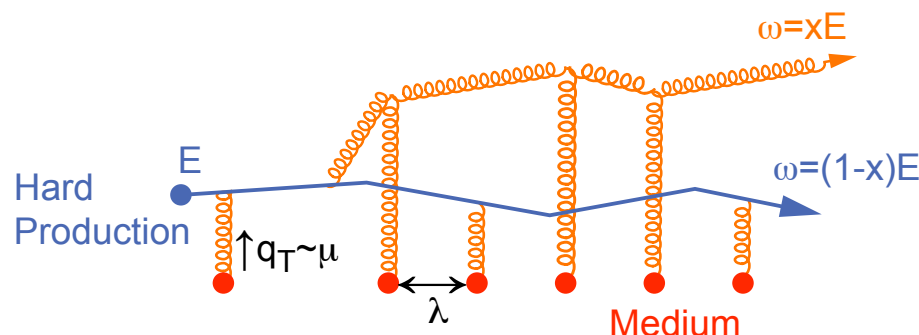
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# Jet-quenching theory from an experimentalists view

## Gluon radiation

Multiple final-state gluon radiation off of the produced hard parton induced by the traversed dense colored medium



General form:

Partonic spectrum  
 $E_{jet}$

$\otimes$

Nuclear geometry  
 $L$

$\otimes$

Energy loss  
 $\Delta E(E_{jet})$

$\otimes$

Fragmentation  
 $D(E_{jet}, \Delta E)$

- Mean parton energy loss  
 $\propto$  medium properties:
  - $\Delta E \sim \rho_{gluon}$  (gluon density)
  - $\Delta E \sim \Delta L^2$  (medium length)
  - $\Rightarrow \sim \Delta L$  with expansion

- Characterization of medium  
via transport coefficient  $\hat{q}$   
is mean  $p_T^2$  transferred from the medium to a hard gluon per unit path length  $\lambda$

A lot of theories/models on the market:

$$\hat{q} \sim 2-10 \text{ GeV/fm}$$

no quantitative agreement\* (based on the available measurements) at RHIC so far!

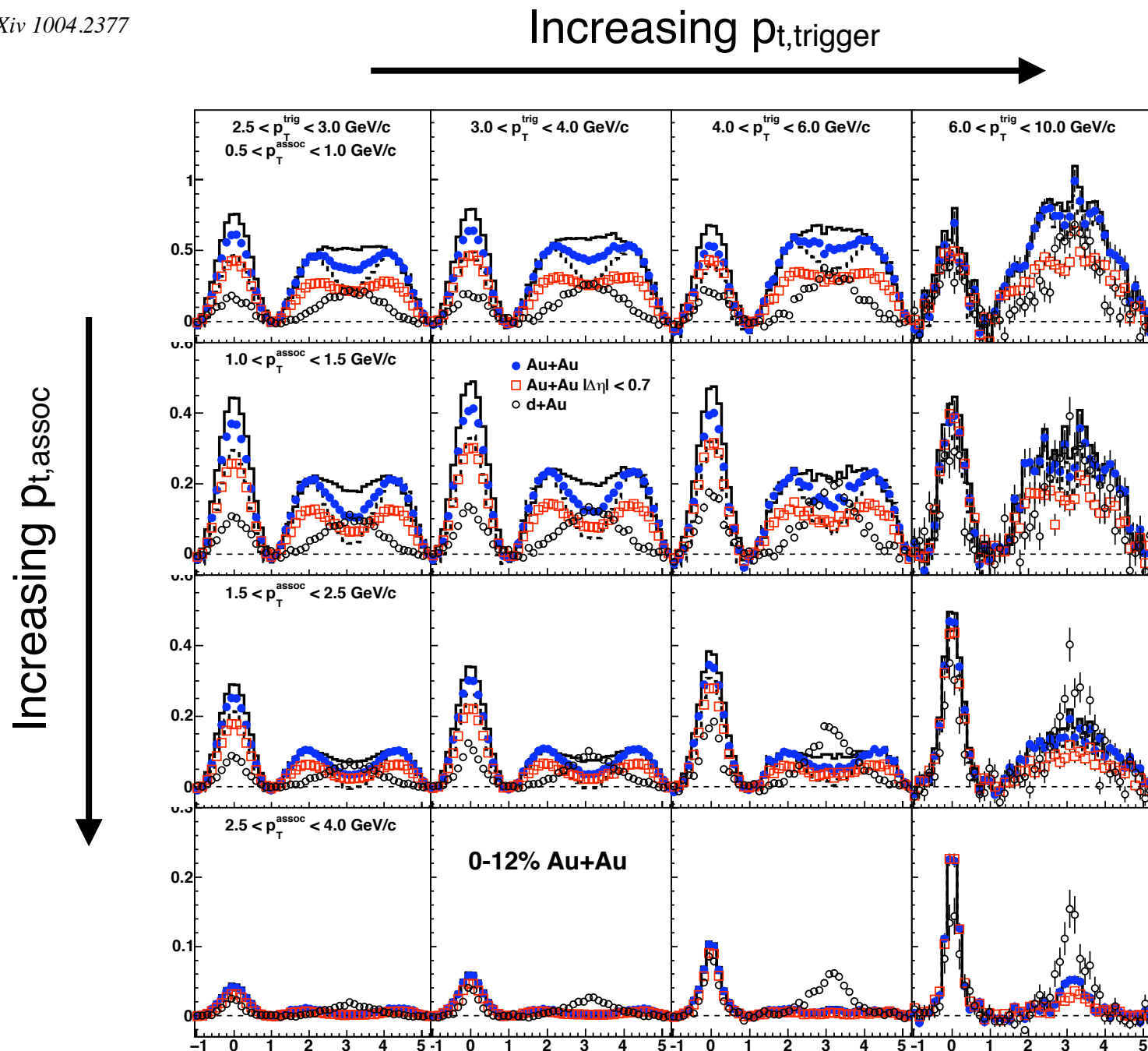
Naive summary:

To varying extent all theories (except AdS/CFT) predict a **softening** of the fragmentation and an overall **broadening** of the jet shape!



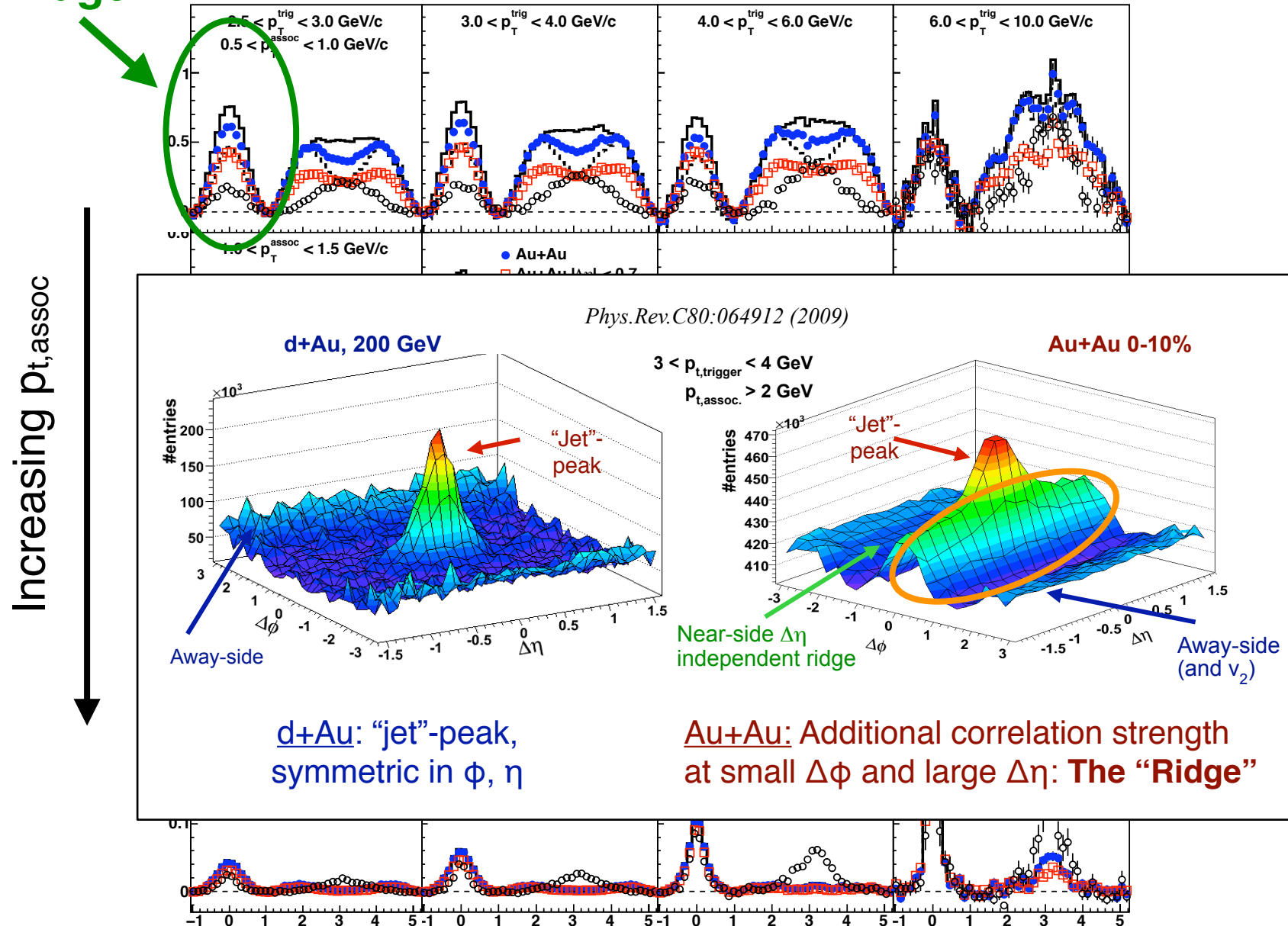
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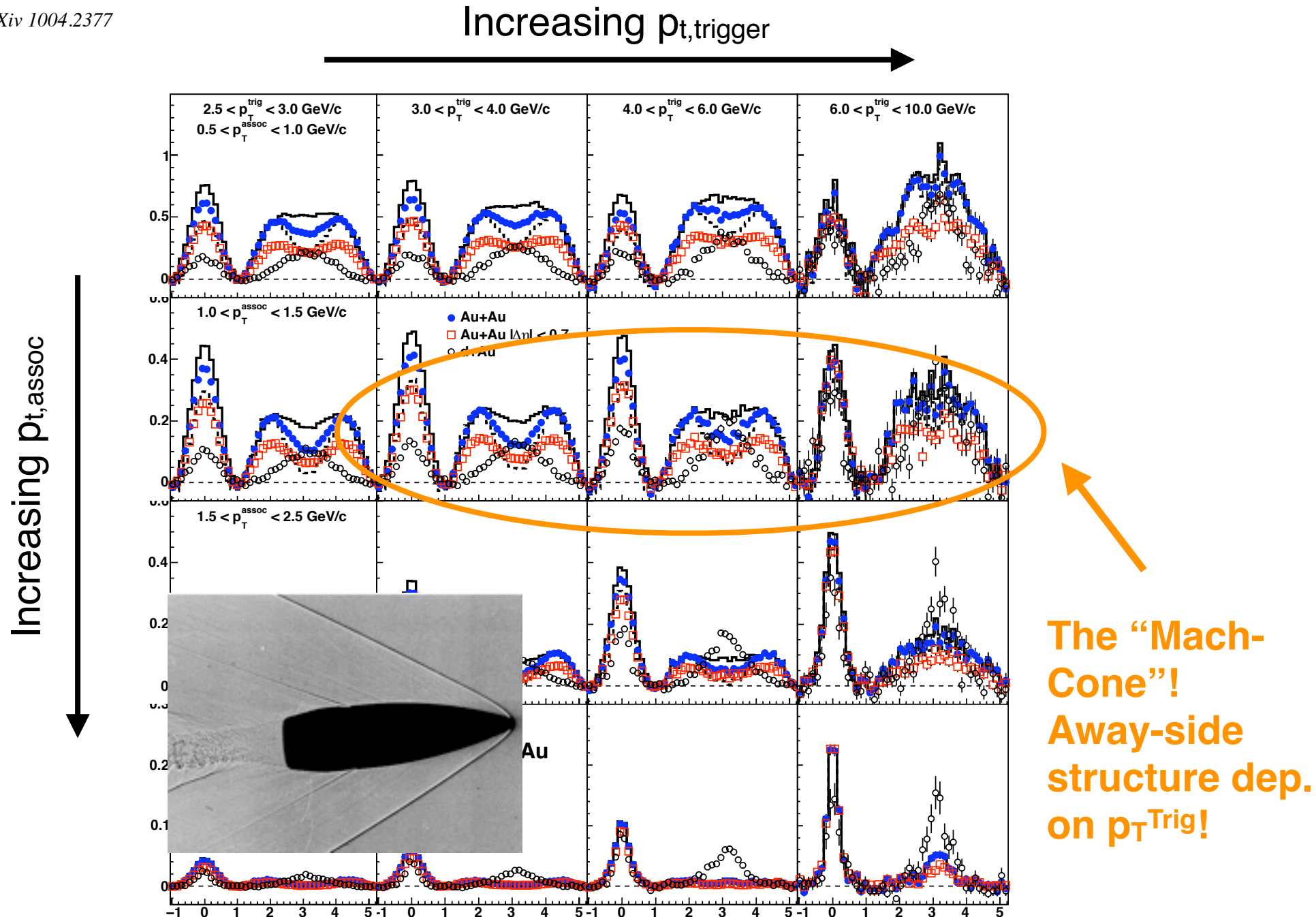
## Increasing $p_{t, \text{trigger}}$



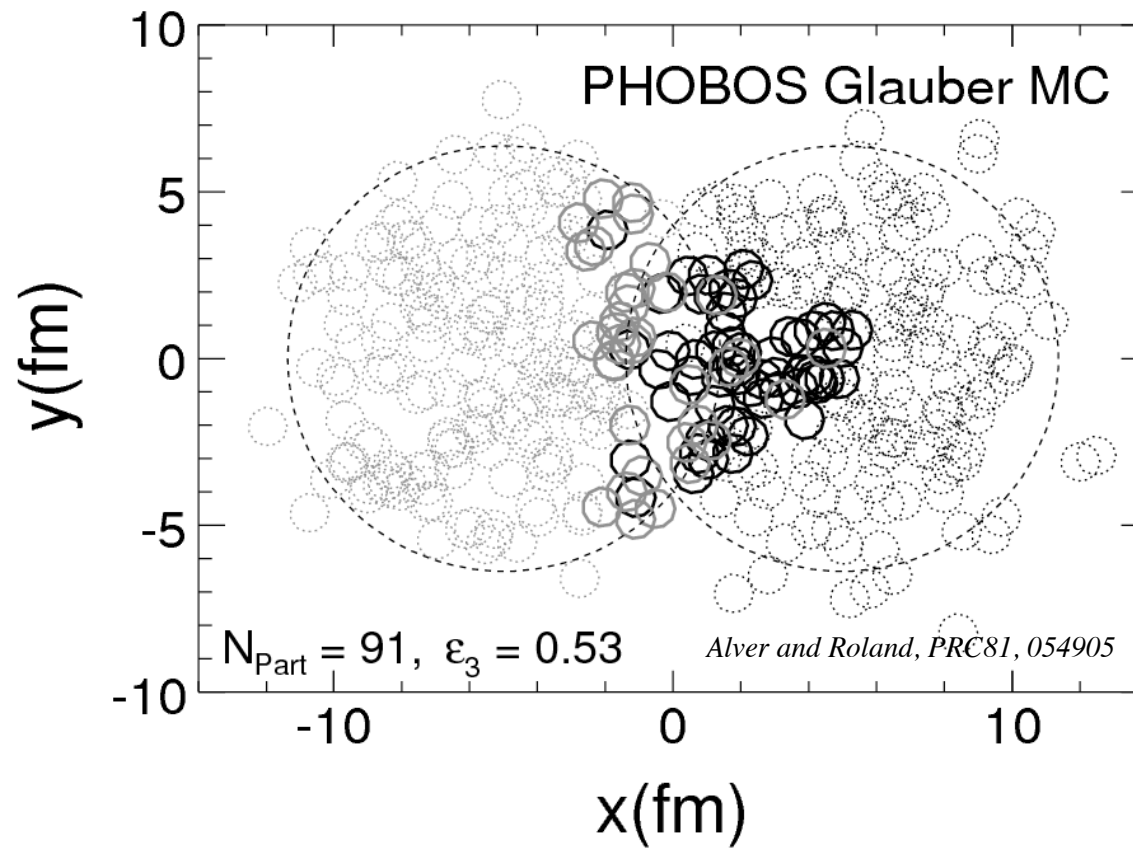


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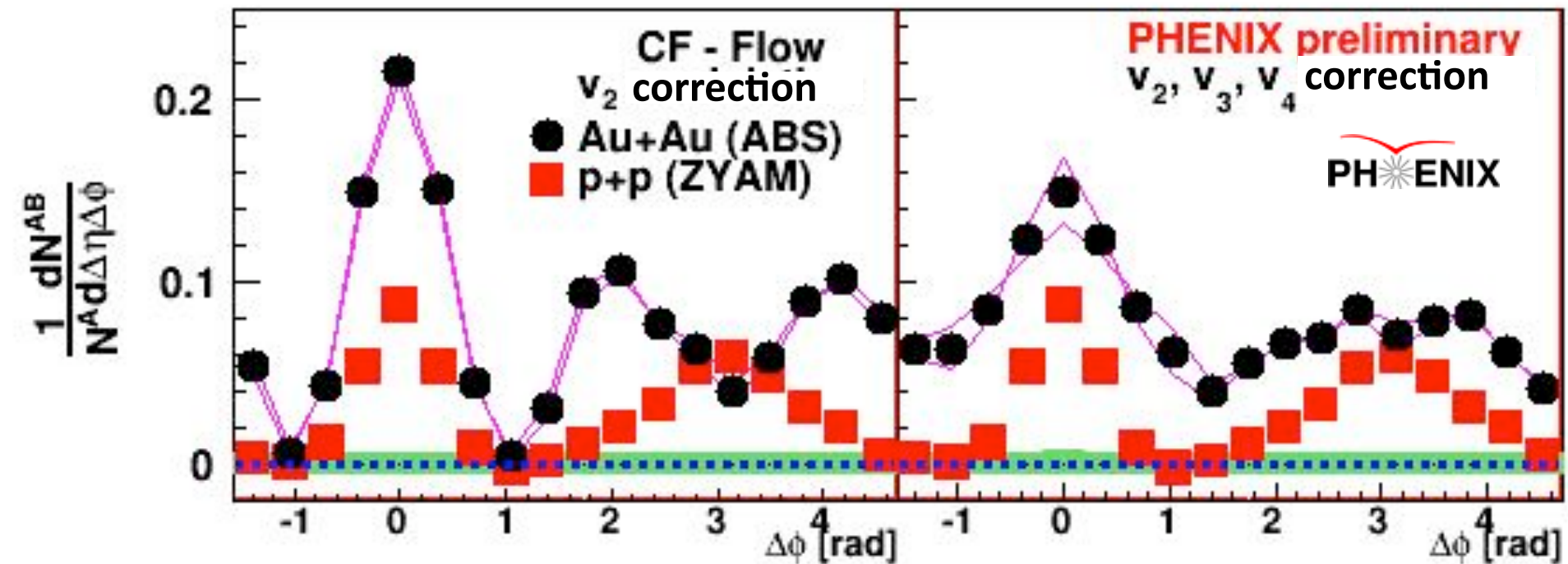
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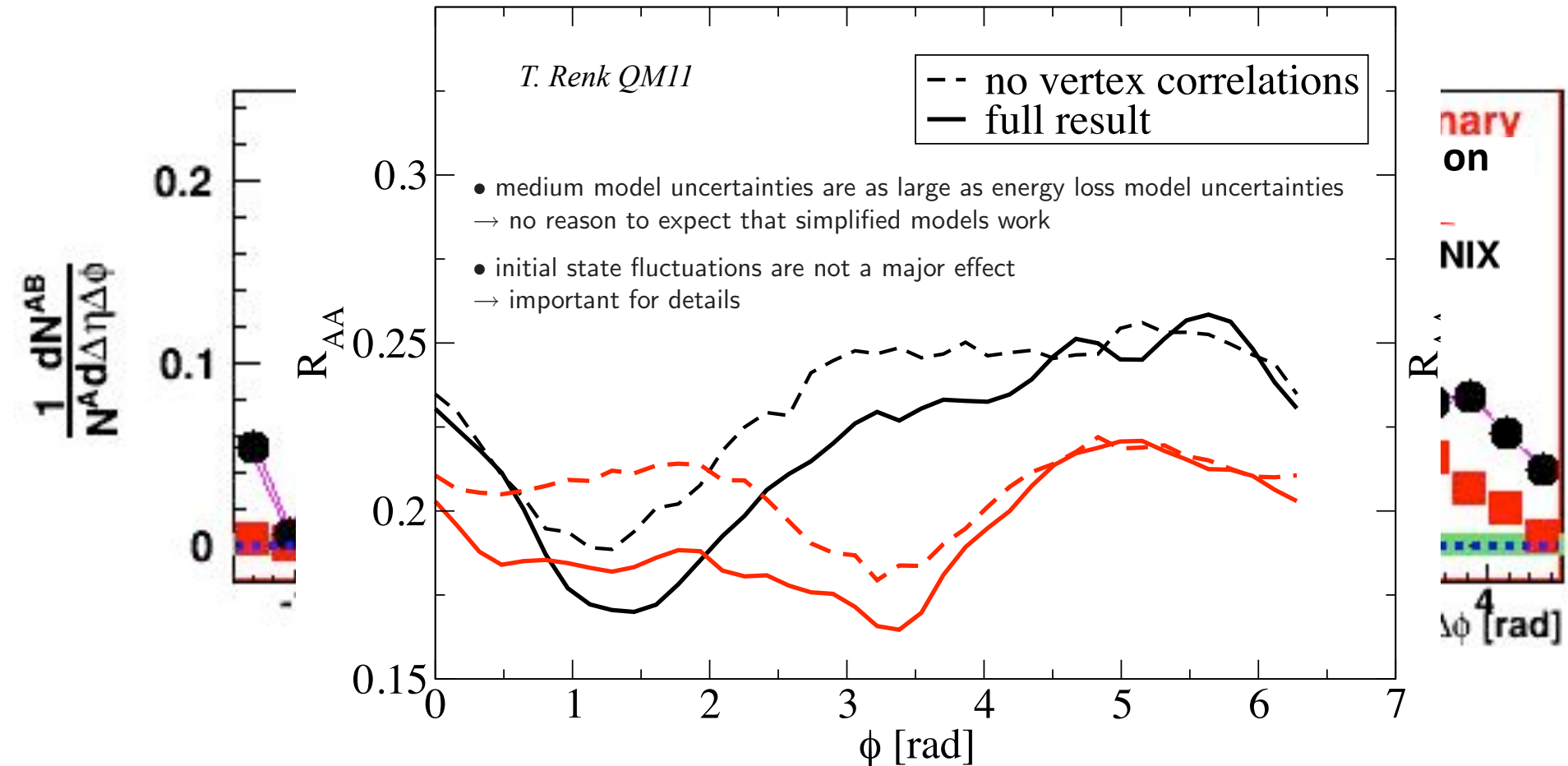
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**Effect of higher harmonics on jets/jet-quenching not yet experimentally measured. From theory: small effect !?**

# Constraining the parton kinematics

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$R_{AA}$  and Di-hadrons are indirect measurements of jet quenching !

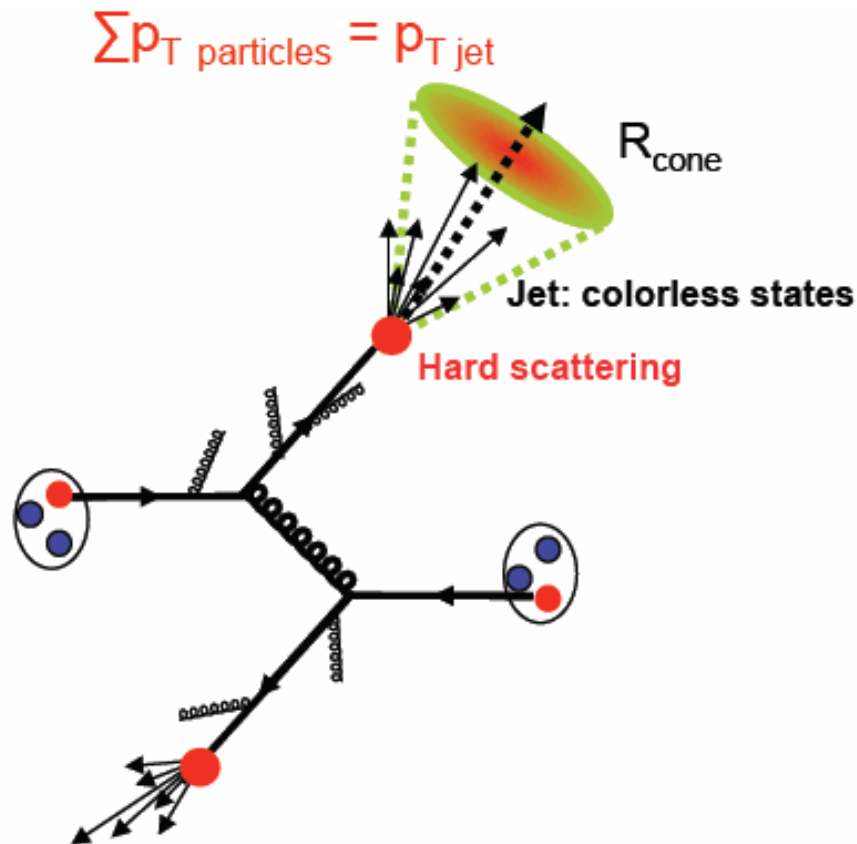
To study the full spectrum of jet quenching in an unbiased way:

## Two approaches:

1.  $\gamma$ -jet: clean, but limited kinematic reach due to x-section

2. Full jet reconstruction:  
large kinematic reach, but  
complex analysis

# Jets connect theory and experiment



Jets are the experimental signatures of quarks and gluons. They reflect the kinematics and “topology” of partons.

Goal: re-associate (measurable) hadrons to accurately reconstruct partonic kinematics

- pQCD calculates partons
- experiments measure fragments of partons: hadrons

Tool: *Jet-finding algorithms:*  
Apply same algorithm to data and theoretical calculations

pQCD factorization/jet spectrum:

$$E \frac{d^3\sigma}{dp^3} \propto f_{a/A}(x_a, Q^2) \otimes f_{b/B}(x_b, Q^2) \otimes \frac{d\hat{\sigma}^{ab \rightarrow cd}}{dt}$$

PDF

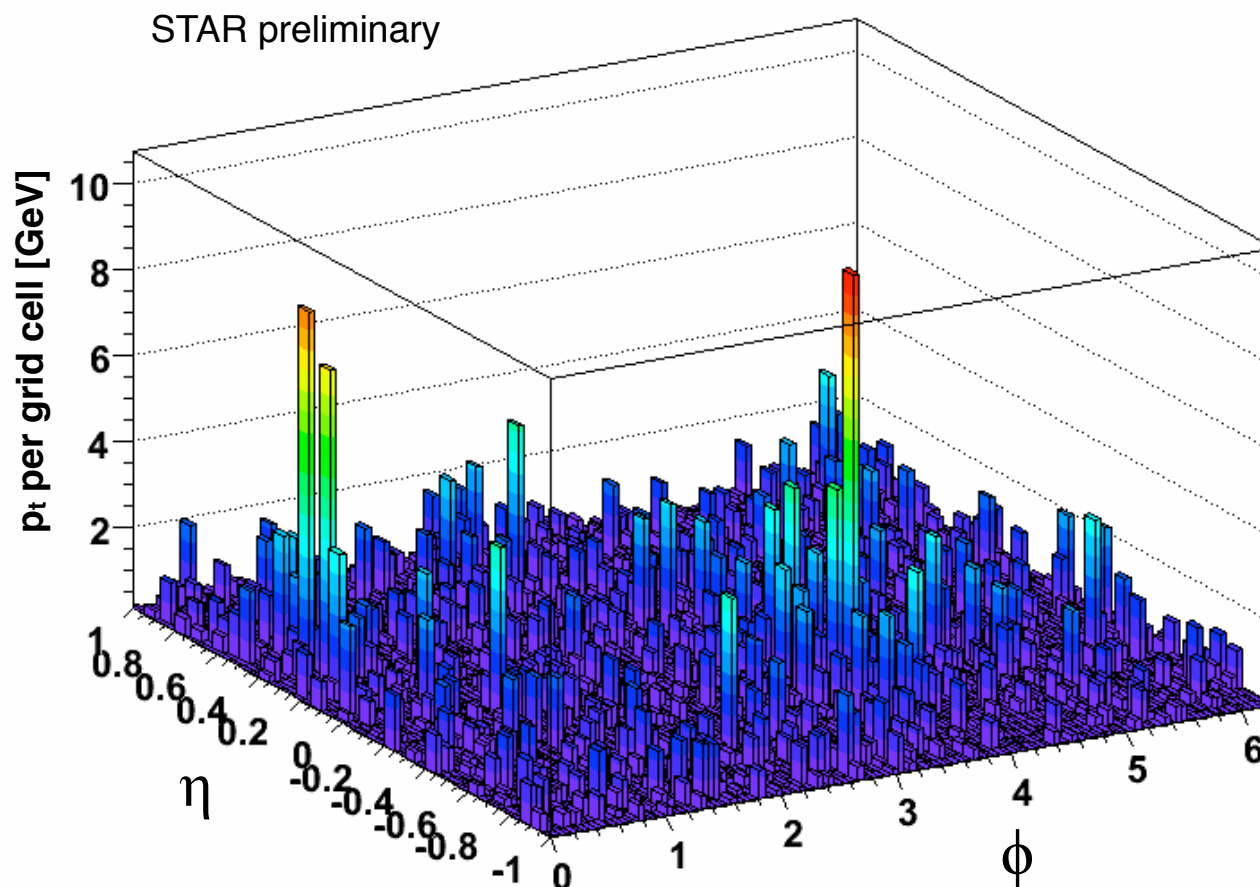
Partonic x-section



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STAR preliminary

**I will not go into detail on how to correct for background/fluctuations in jet-reconstruction in heavy-ion collisions ...**

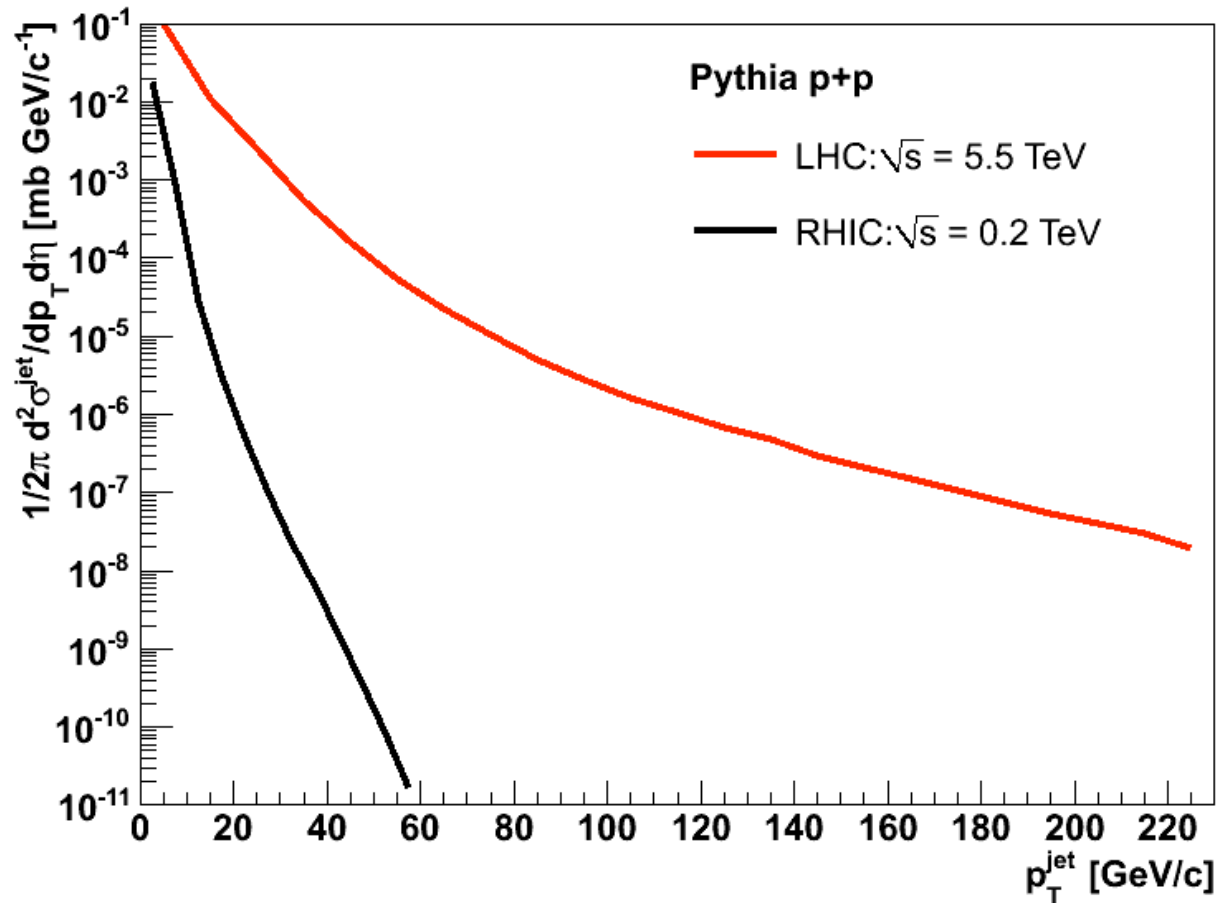
**Significant progress has been made and most of the tools are available!**

**There are still open issues which need to be addressed and quantified to look for consistency between different approaches!**

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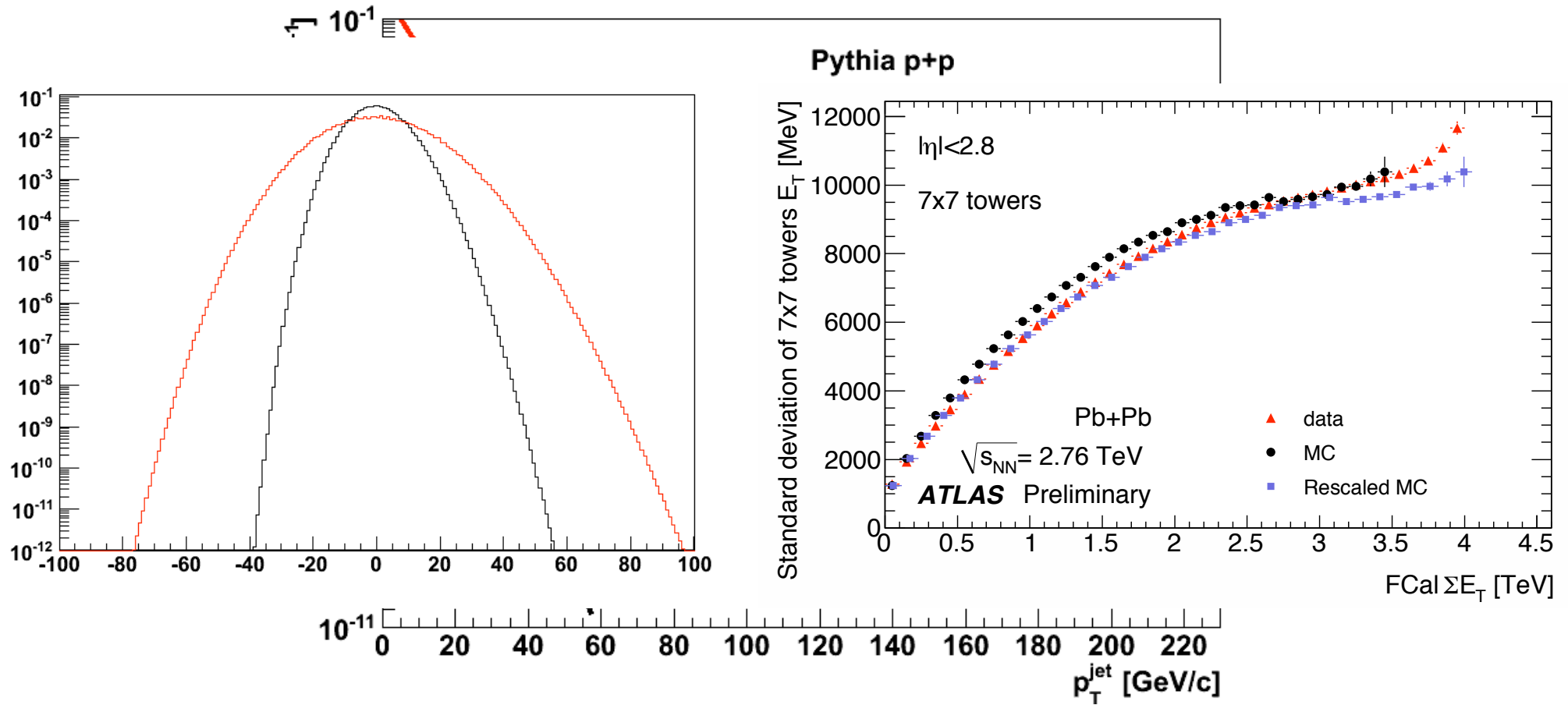
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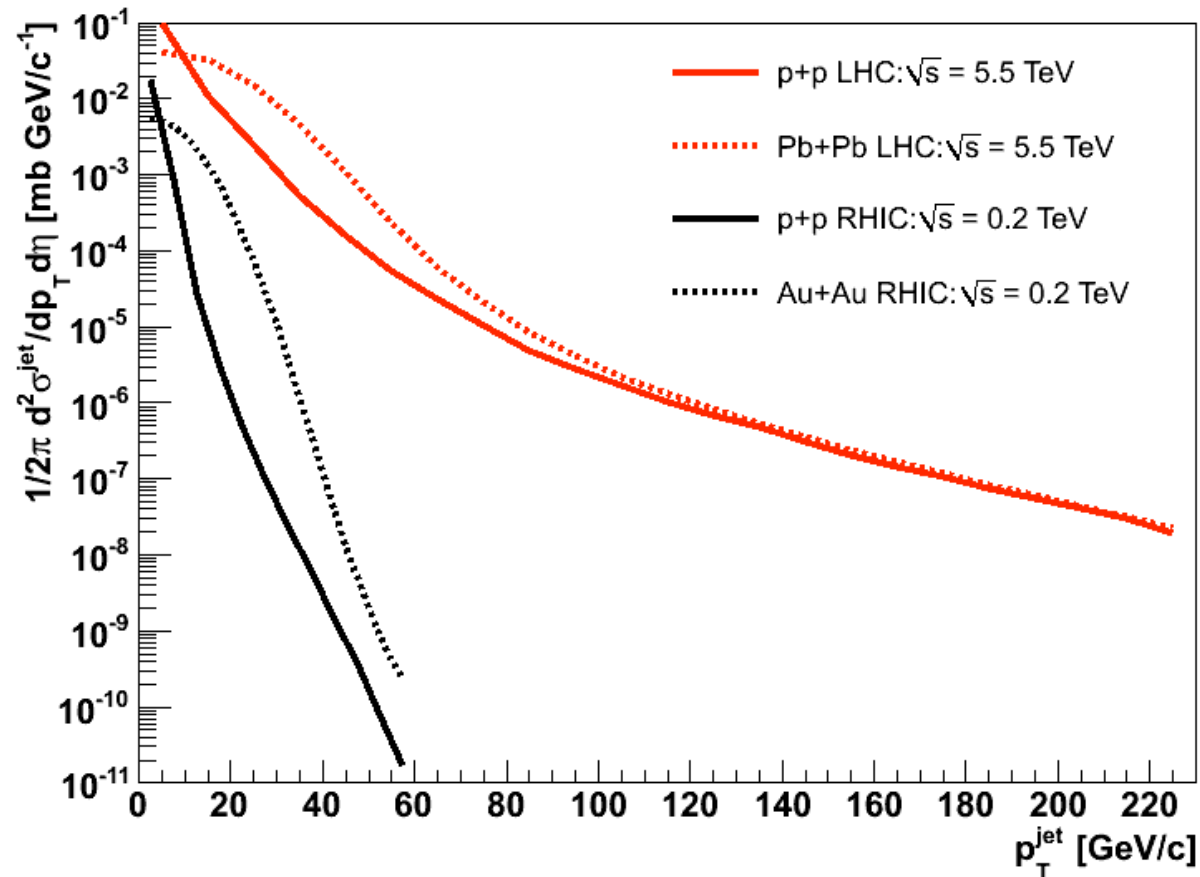
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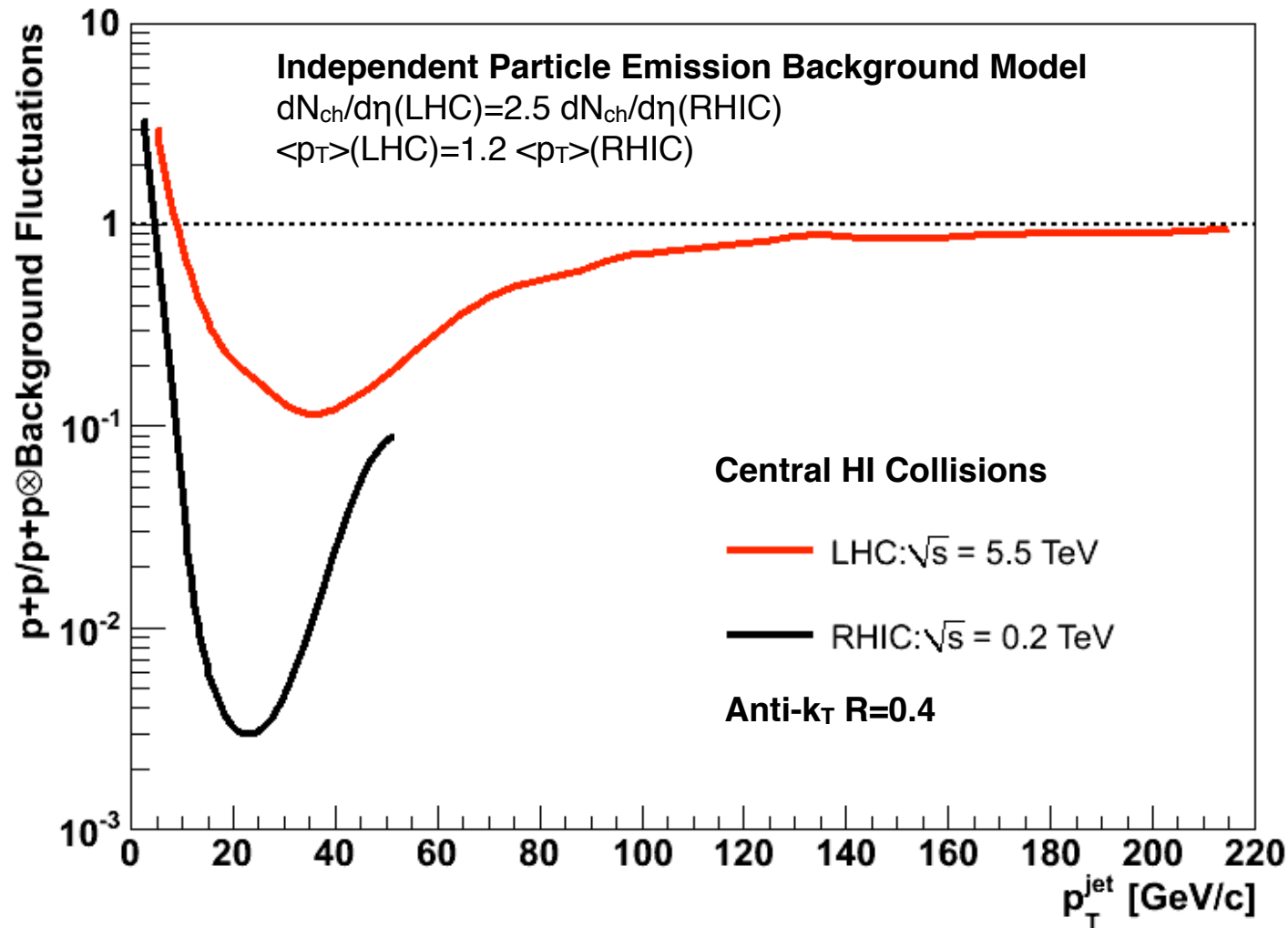
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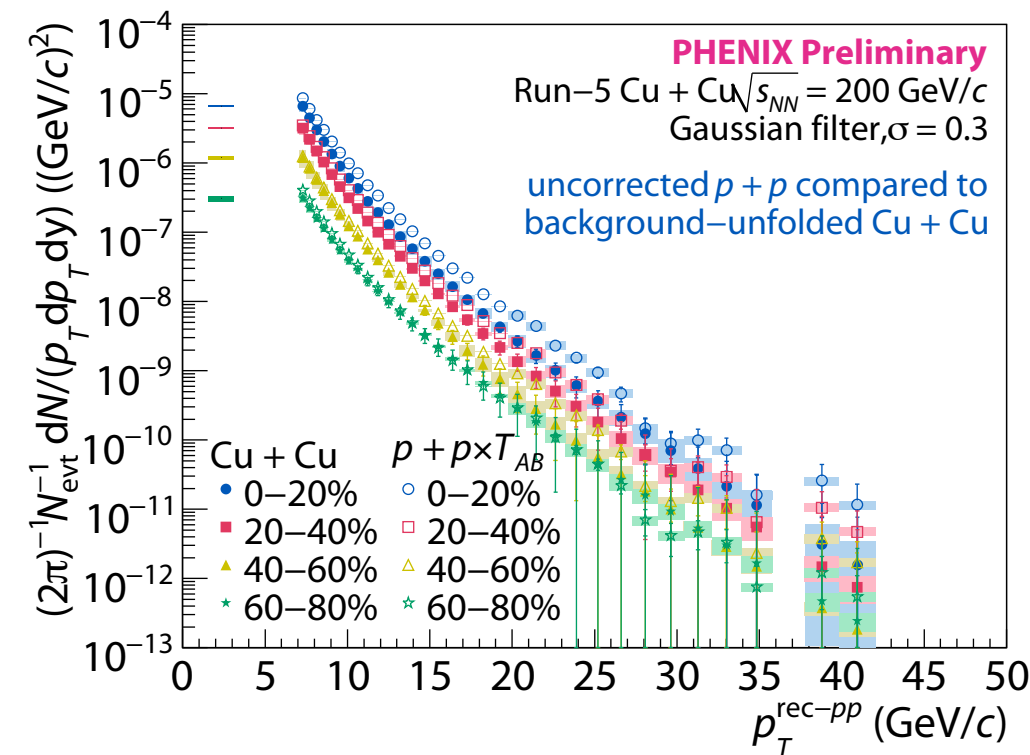
Fluctuations at RHIC dominant due to steeply falling spectrum

Small effect on inclusive jet x-section at the LHC for  $p_T^{\text{jet}} > 100 \text{ GeV}/c$

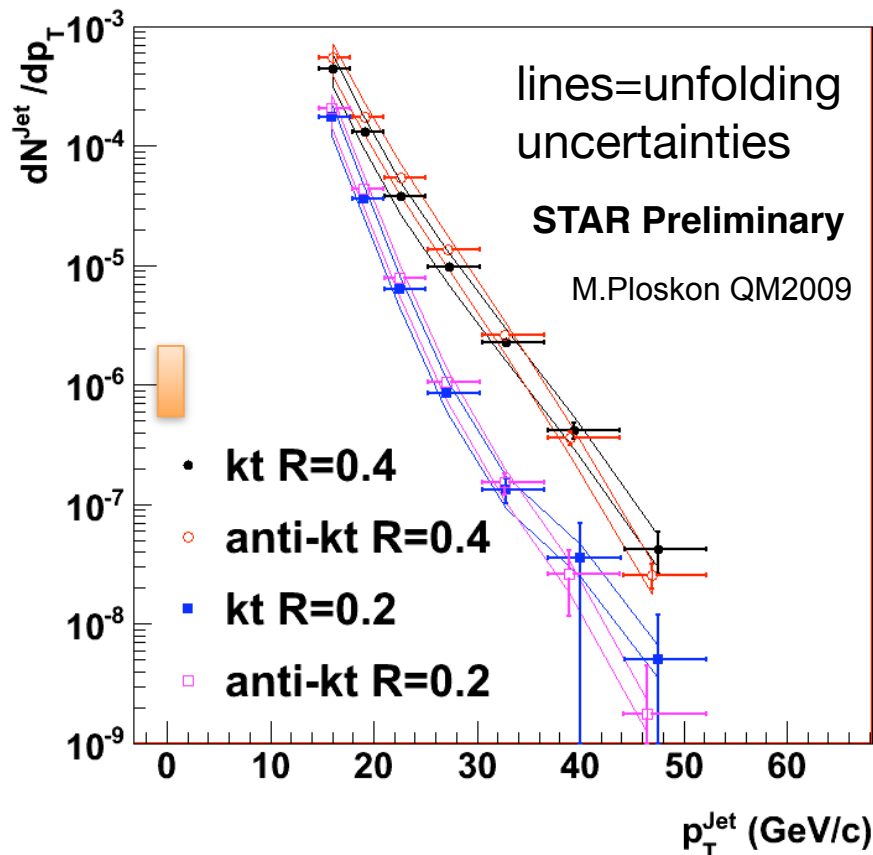


# Inclusive jet x-section in heavy-ion collisions

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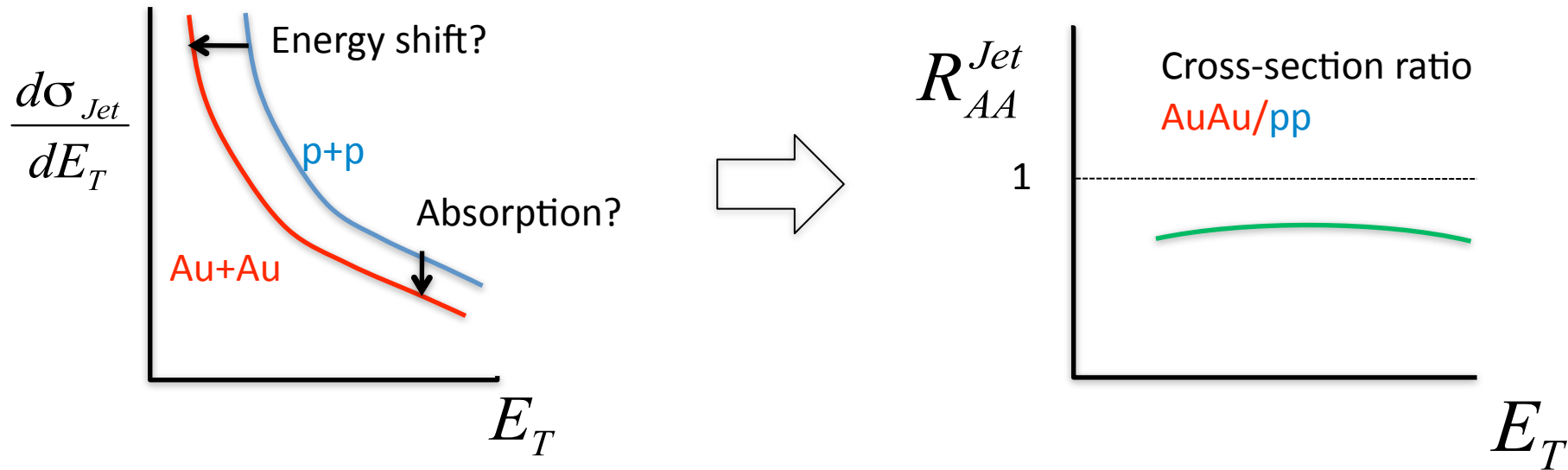
**Au+Au collisions 0-10%**



- Inclusive Jet spectrum measured in central Au+Au and Cu+Cu collisions at RHIC
- Extended the kinematical reach to study jet quenching phenomena to jet energies  $> 40$  GeV

Remark: New high statistics Au+Au runs on tape (Phenix and STAR) will increase significantly the kinematic reach!

# What do we learn from the Au+Au jet spectrum ?



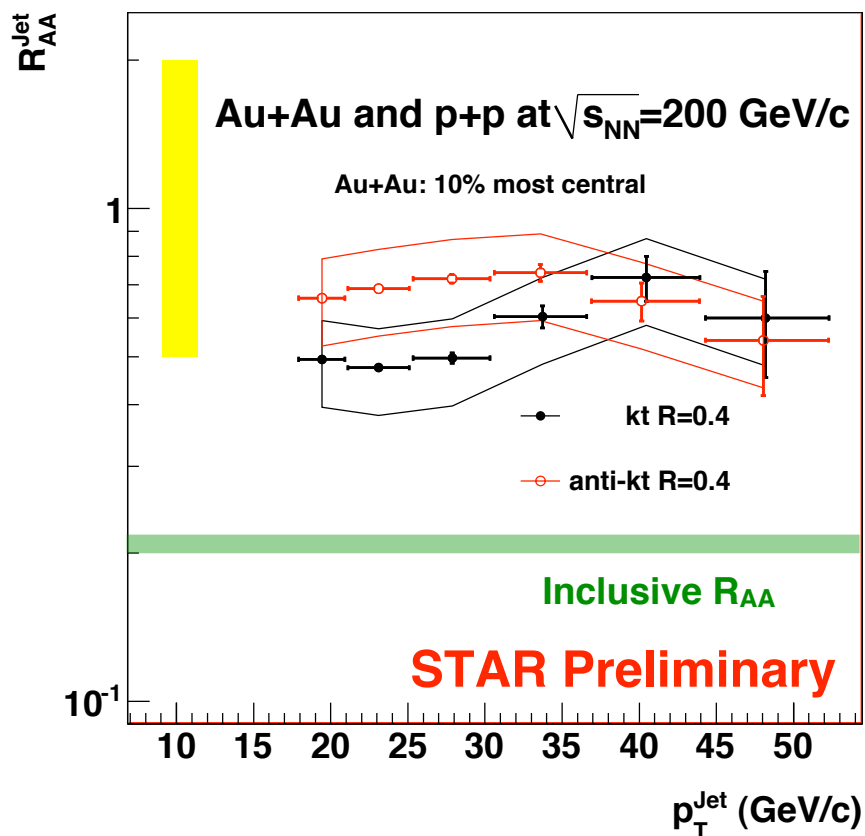
**Momentum and energy is conserved even for quenched jets**

**If full jet reconstruction in heavy-ion collisions is unbiased**

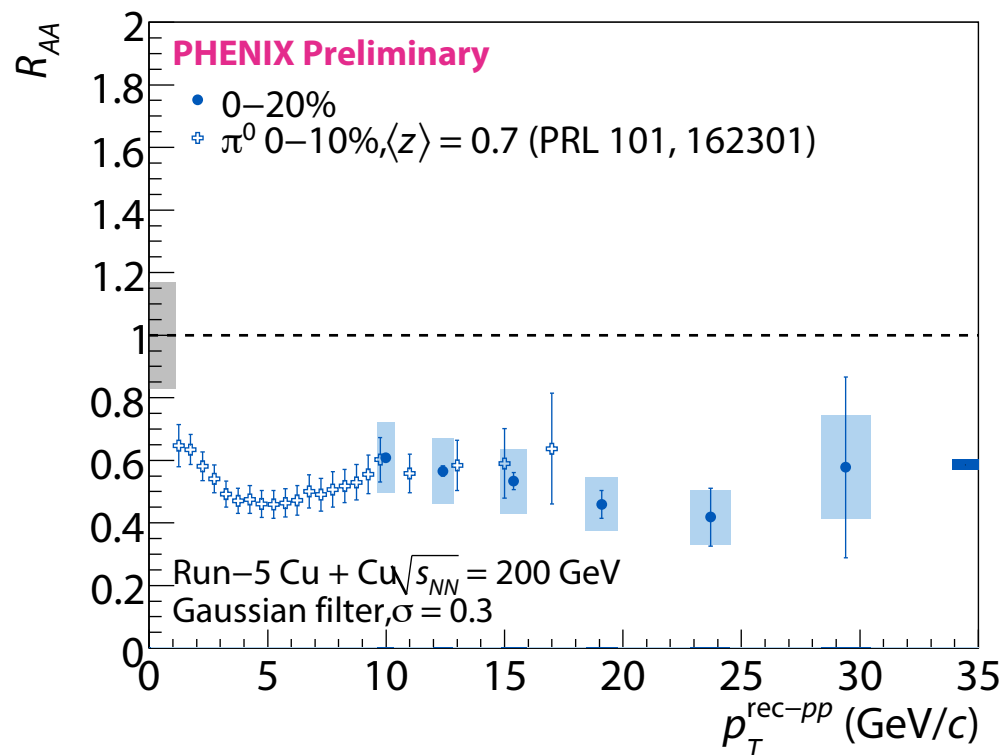
**$\Rightarrow$  Inclusive jet spectrum scales with  $N_{coll}$  relative to p+p**

# Jet $R_{AA}$ in central Au+Au and Cu+Cu

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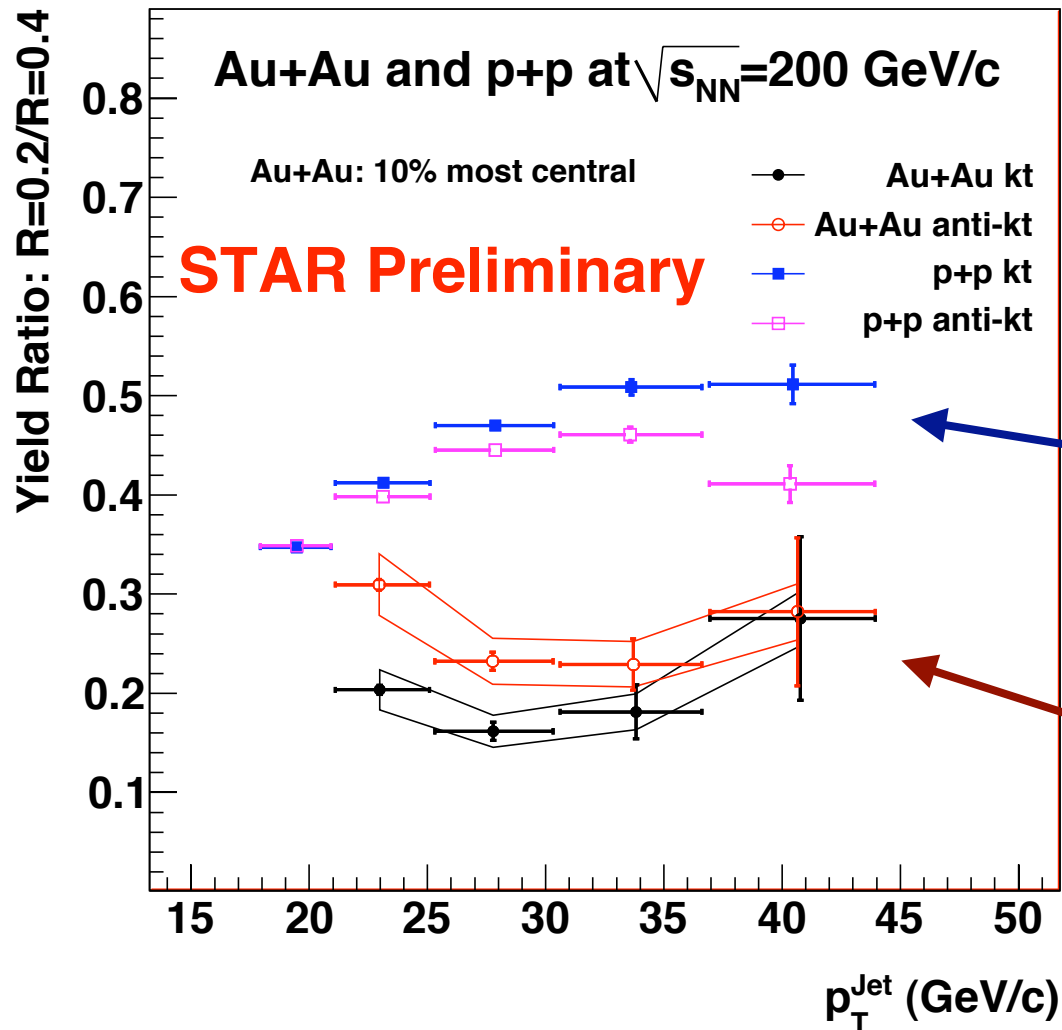


**STAR sees a substantial fraction of jets in Au+Au  
- in contrast to x5 suppression for light hadron  $R_{AA}$**

**Strong suppression (similar to single particle)  
in Cu+Cu measured by PHENIX**

# First look at the jet energy profile

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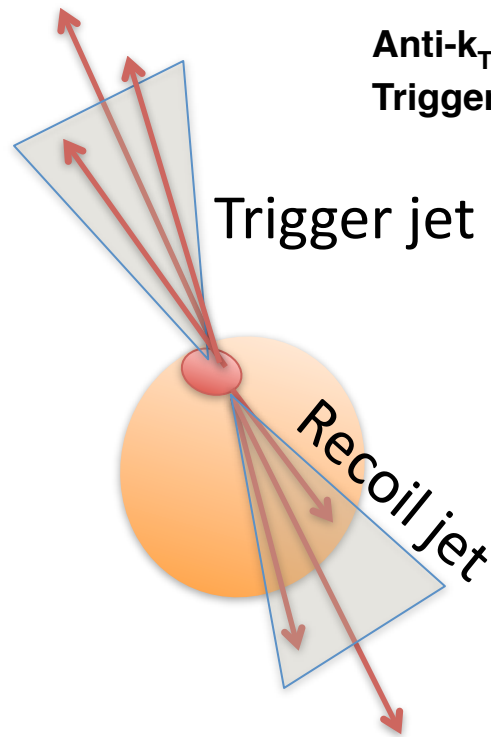


**p+p: “Narrowing” of the jet structure with increasing jet energy**

**Au+Au: “Deficit” of jet energy of jets reconstructed with  $R=0.2$**

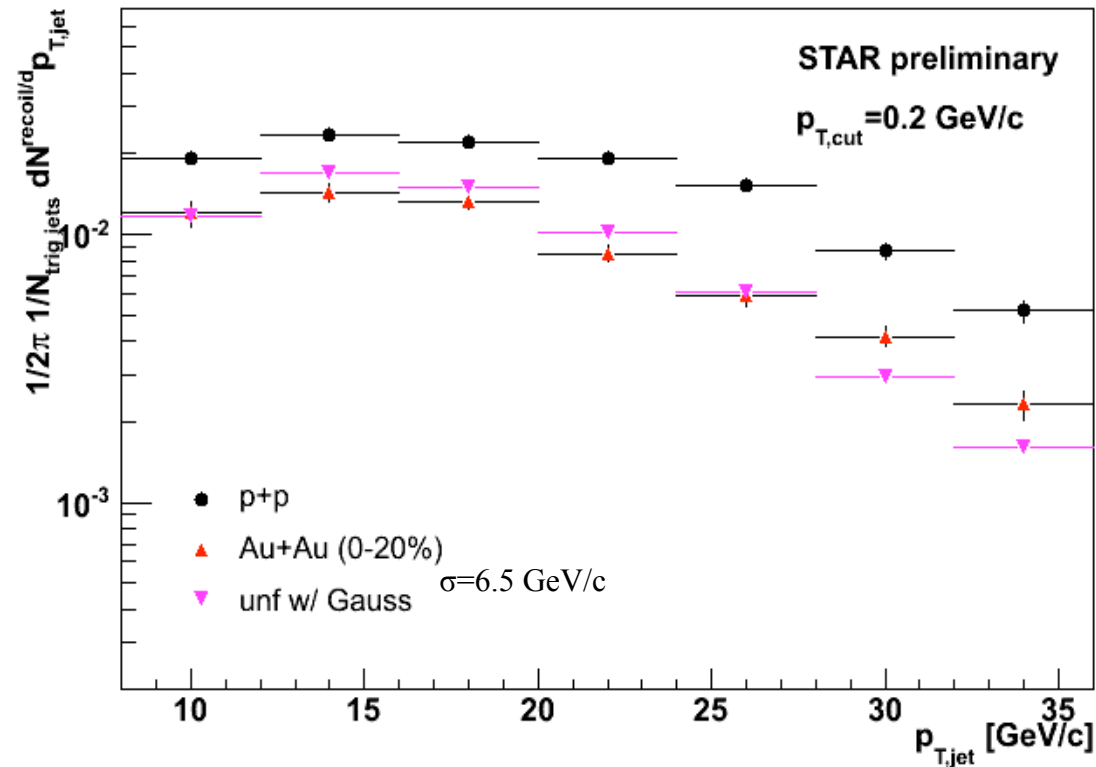
**Strong evidence of broadening in the jet energy profile**

# Advantage of recoil jet spectrum measurements



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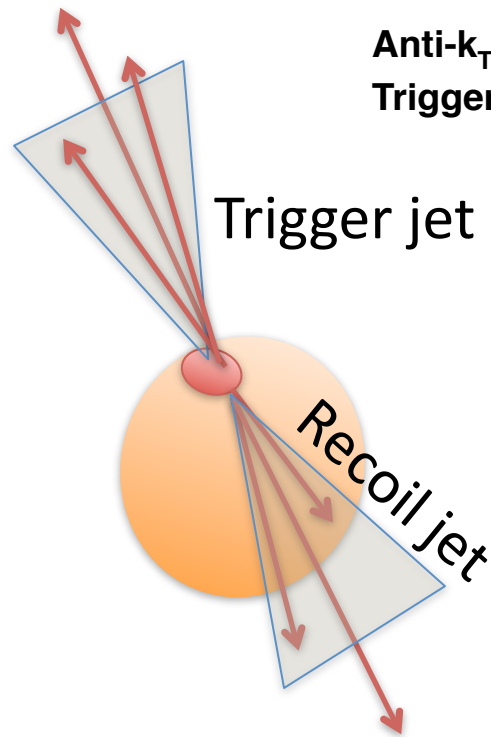


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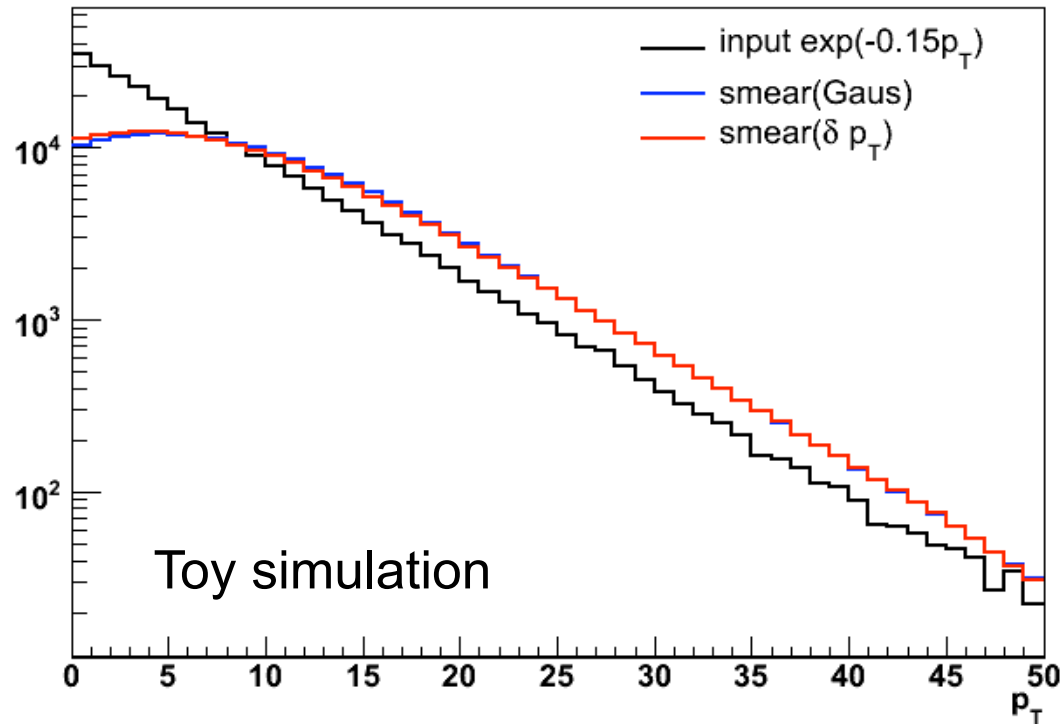
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Trigger jet

Recoil jet

Smearing parameters for  $p_{T,\text{cut}}=0.2 \text{ GeV/c}$

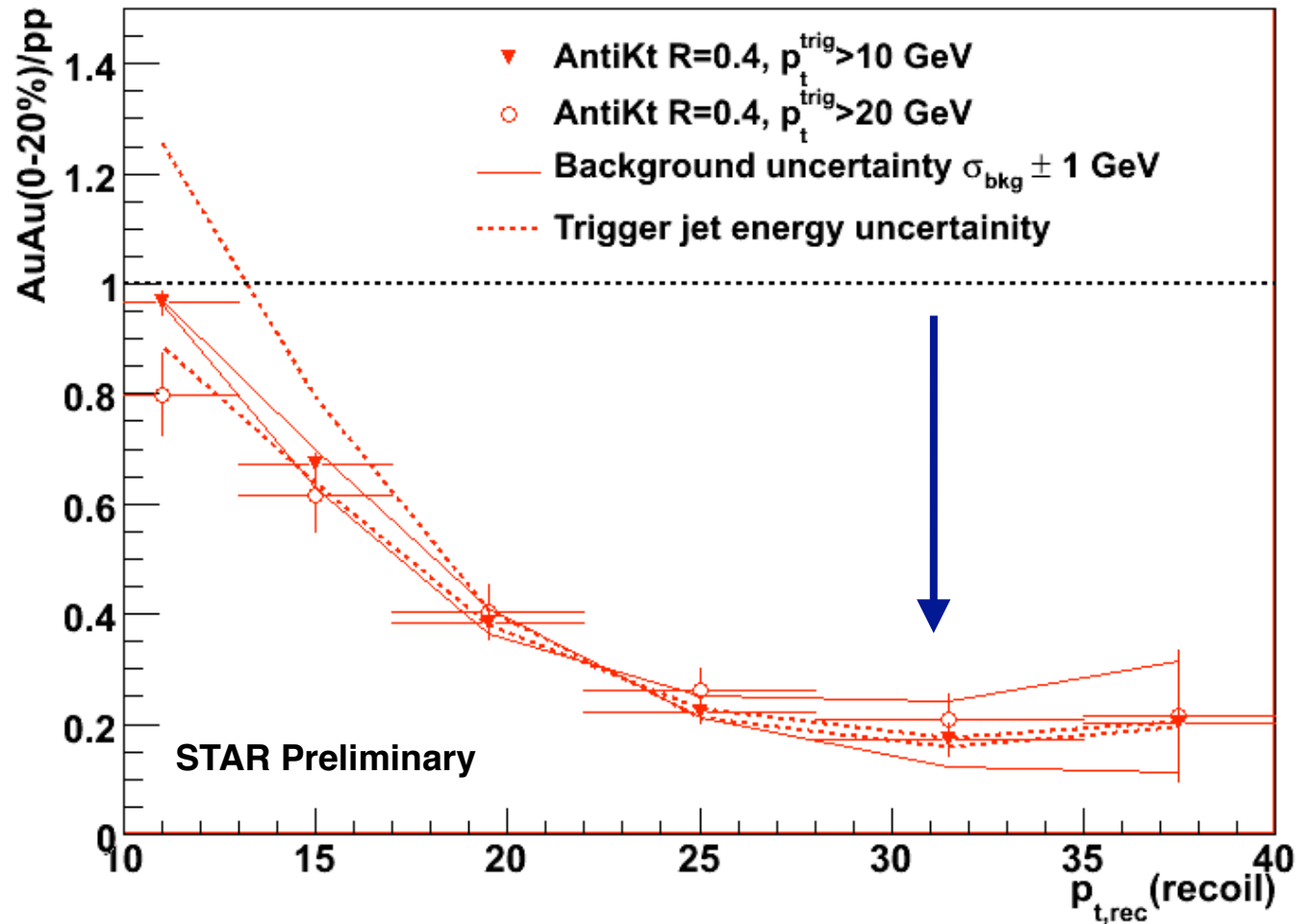
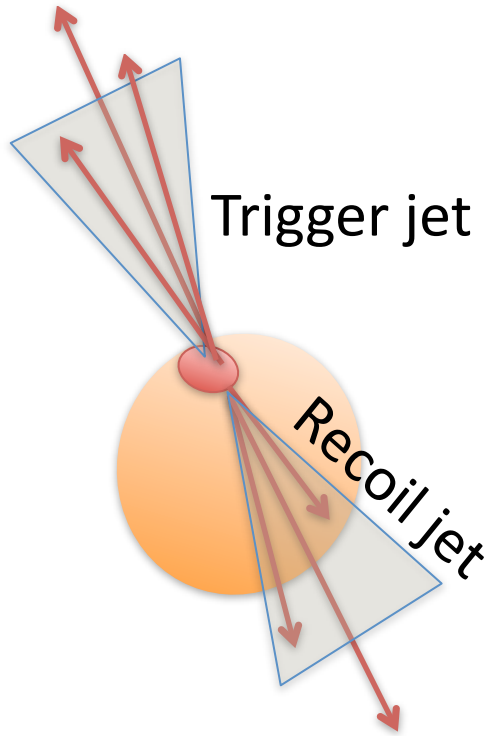


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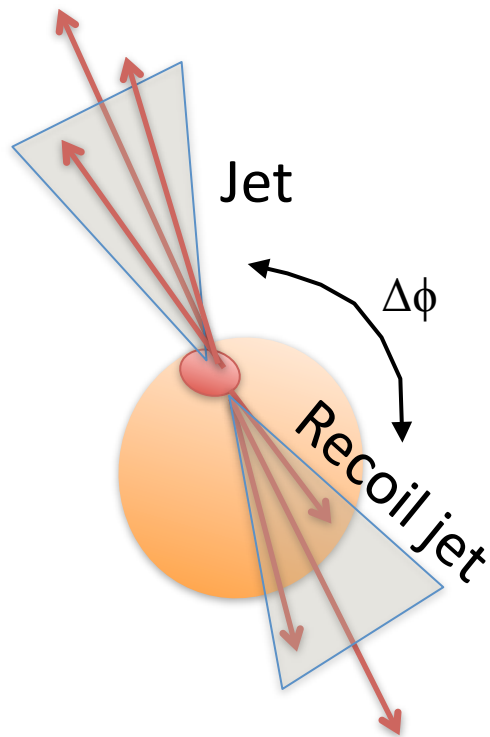
# Recoil jet spectrum $R_{AA}$

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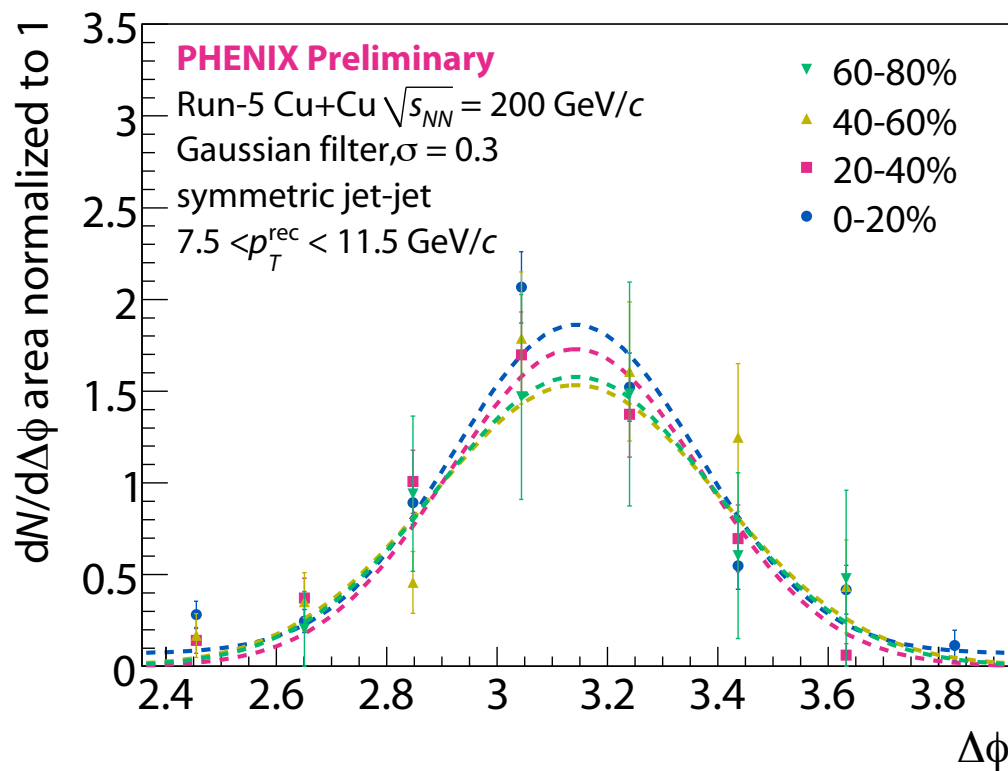


- Selecting biased trigger jet maximizes pathlength for the back-to-back jets: *extreme selection of jet population*
- Significant suppression in di-jet coincidence measurements!

# Di-jet azimuthal correlation in Cu+Cu



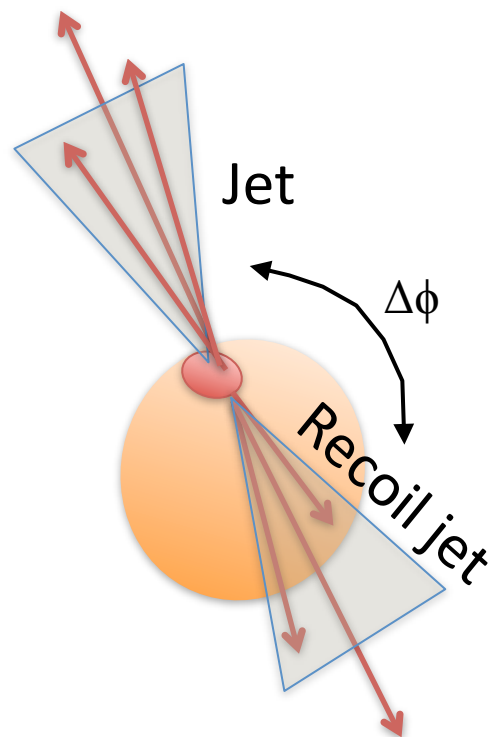
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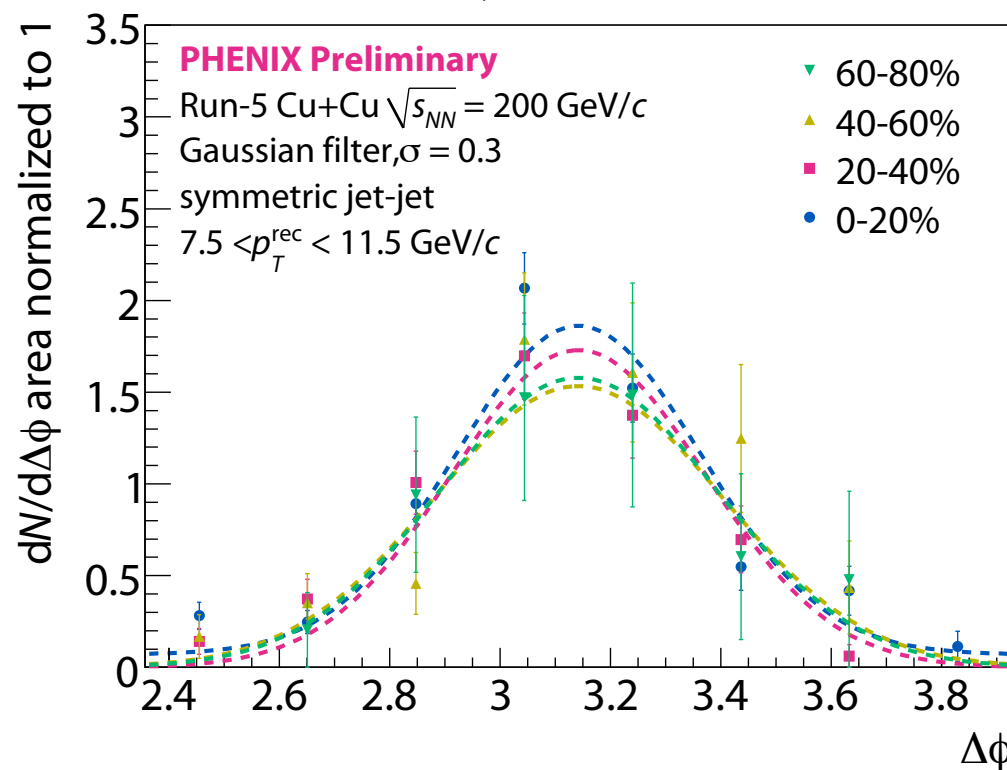
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**Are we biasing our (di-)jet measurements towards non-interacting jets? Or is our HI jet energy underestimated due to jet broadening!?**

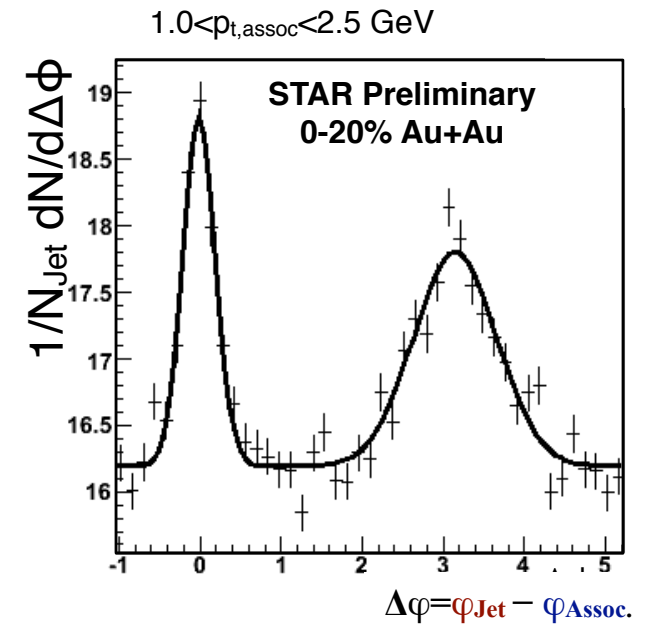
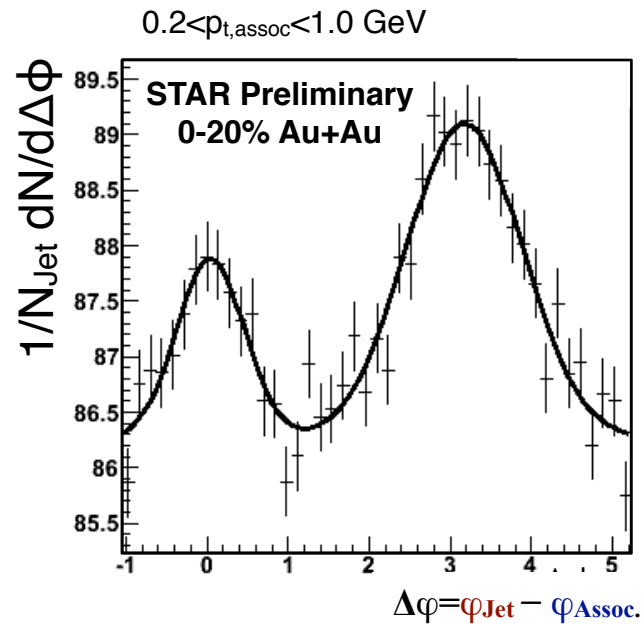
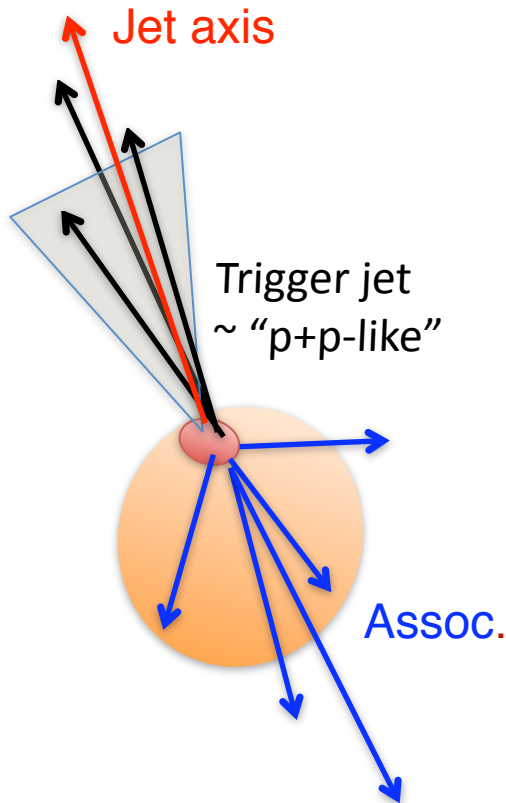
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## Yes, utilize Jet-Hadron correlations (JH)!

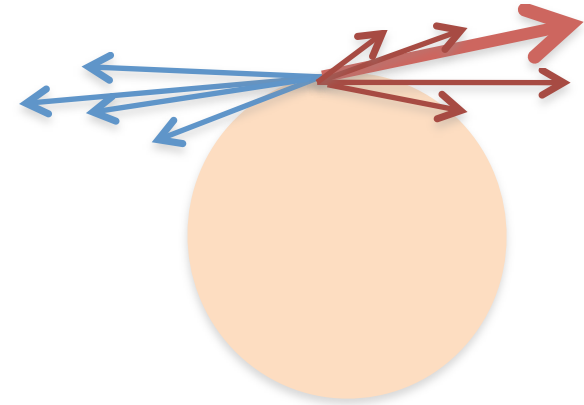


**Increased kinematics in JH due to jet requirement!**  
***Different systematics in bkg. correction compared to full-jet measurements!***

# The two scenarios ...

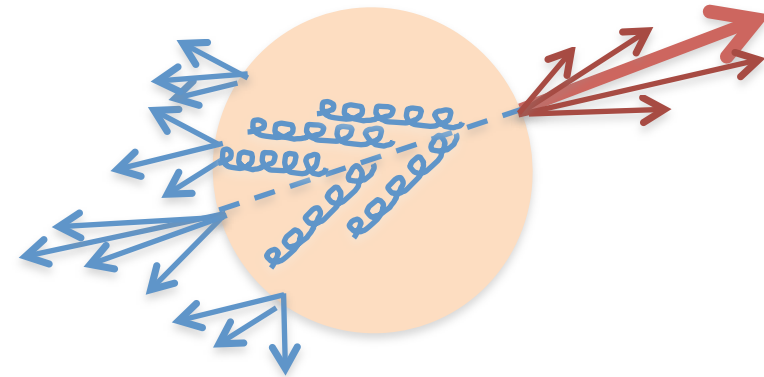
## If tangential (halo) emission:

- Away side yield in Au+Au similar to p+p, also for low  $p_{T,assoc}$



## If energy loss:

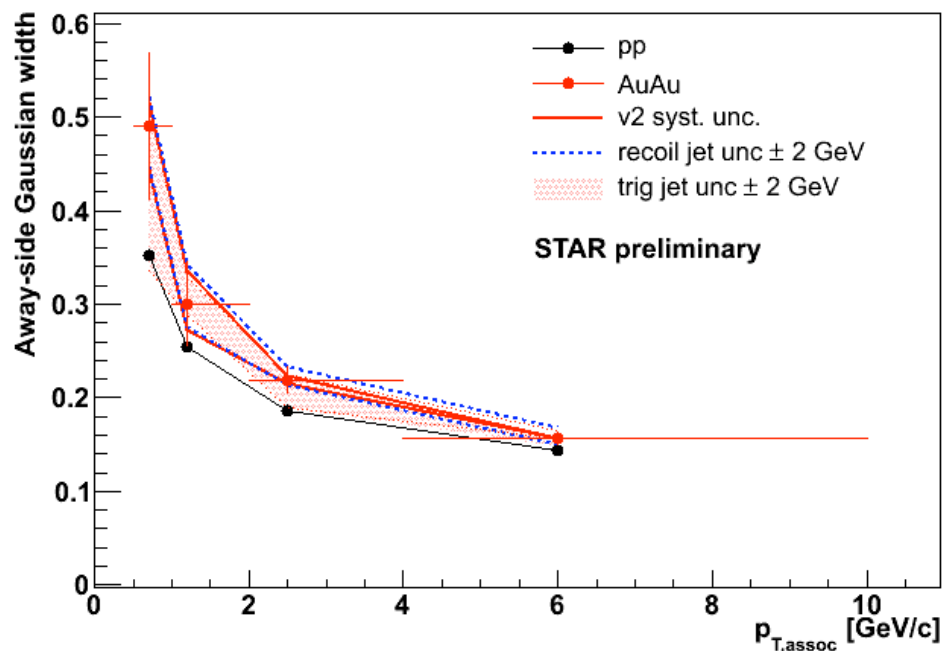
- Decrease of high- $p_{T,assoc}$  particles
- Strong enhancement of low  $p_{T,assoc}$
- Broadening



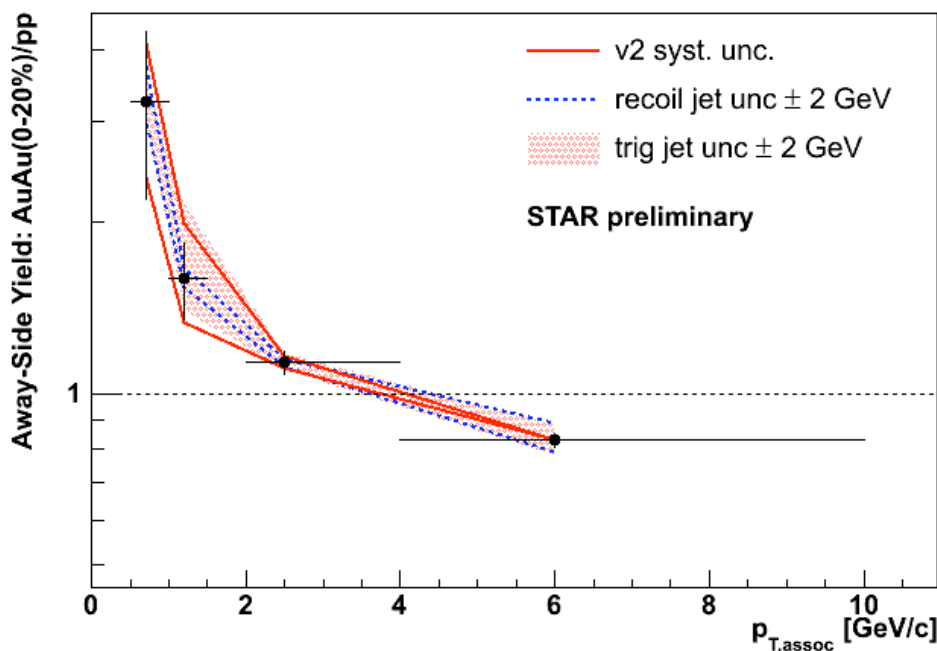
# “Jet-finding bias” assessment via jet-hadron correlations

Measure jet-hadron correlations with the requirement of a fully reconstruct recoil jet:

Away-side width



Away-side  $I_{AA}$



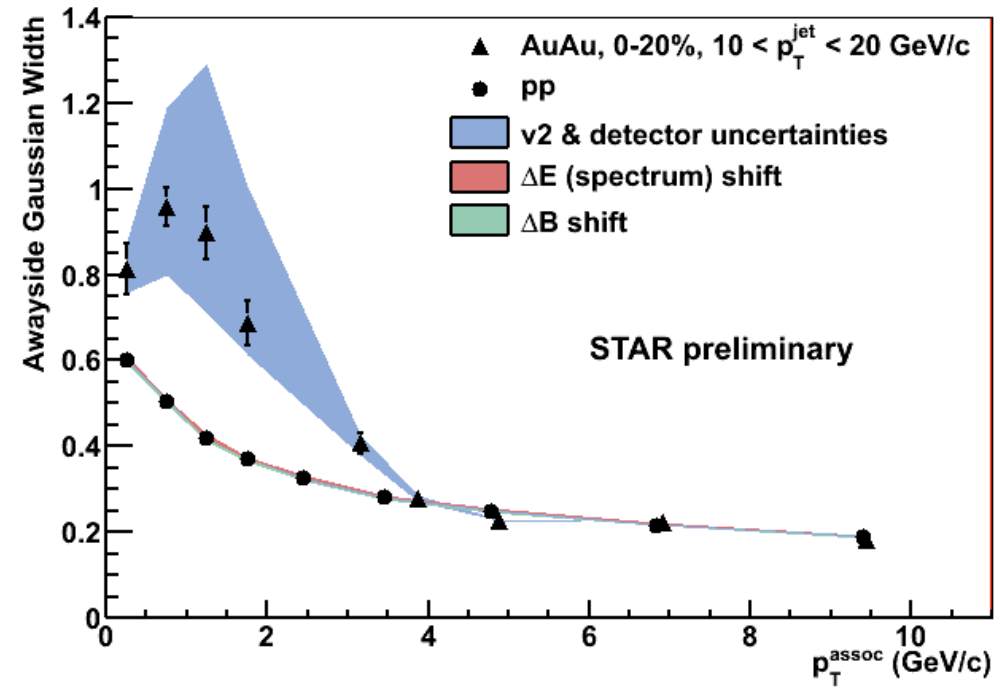
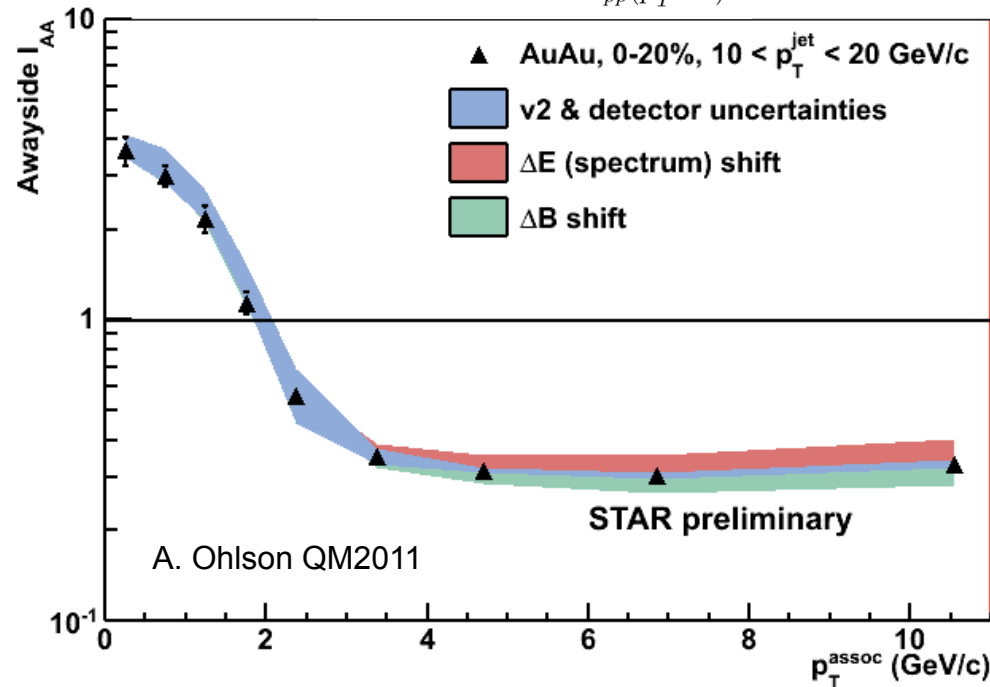
Away-side shows broadening and softening in jet-hadron correlations

⇒ Highly biased jets ( $p_{T}^{Cut} > 2$  GeV) seem to be modified;  
jet-finding algorithm not only reconstructing unmodified jet!

⇒ Suppression of di-jet coincidence most likely due to “out-of-cone energy”

# JH: Away-side width and $I_{AA}$

$$I_{AA}(p_T^{assoc}) = \frac{Y_{AA}(p_T^{assoc})}{Y_{pp}(p_T^{assoc})}$$

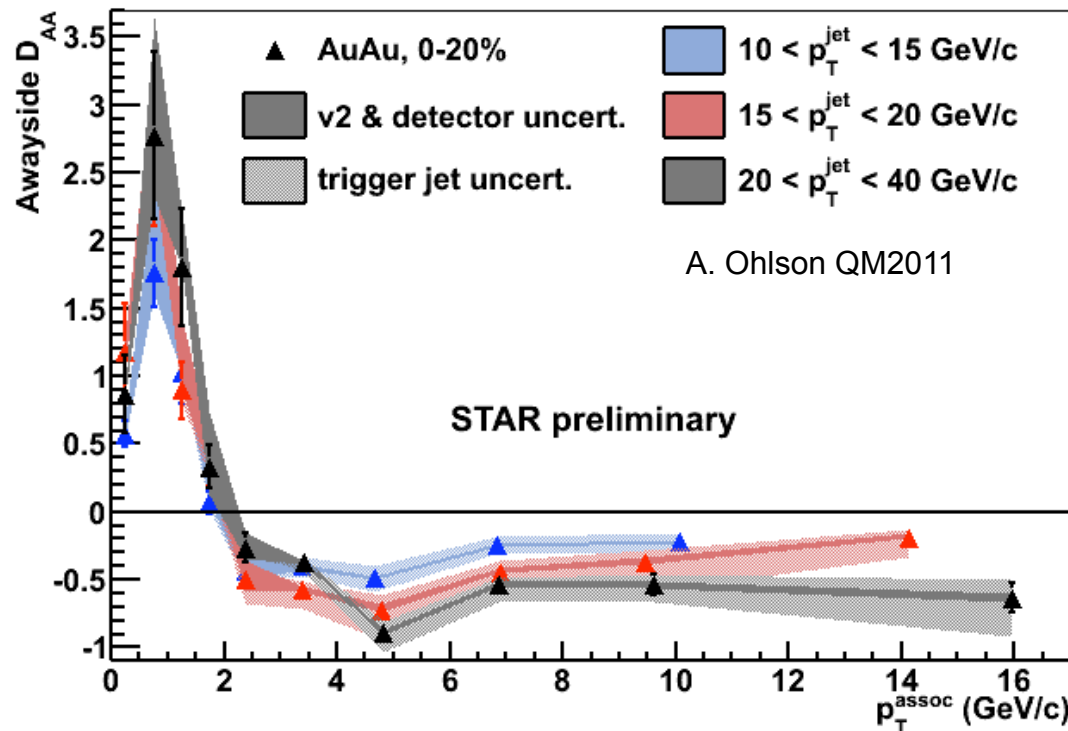


- Significant (gaussian) jet broadening for recoil jets
- Softening of jet “fragmentation”:  
suppression at high  $p_T$  and enhancement at low  $p_T$  ( $p_T < 2$  GeV)
- Measurements/conclusions robust wrt to background subtraction

Further studies: jet energy scale/uncertainties on near-side ( $\Delta\eta$  study), included in systematics

# JH: Away-side $D_{AA}$ vs jet energy

$$D_{AA}(p_T^{assoc}) = Y_{AA}(p_T^{assoc}) \cdot p_{T,AA}^{assoc} - Y_{pp}(p_T^{assoc}) \cdot p_{T,pp}^{assoc} \quad \Delta B = \int dp_T^{assoc} D_{AA}(p_T^{assoc})$$



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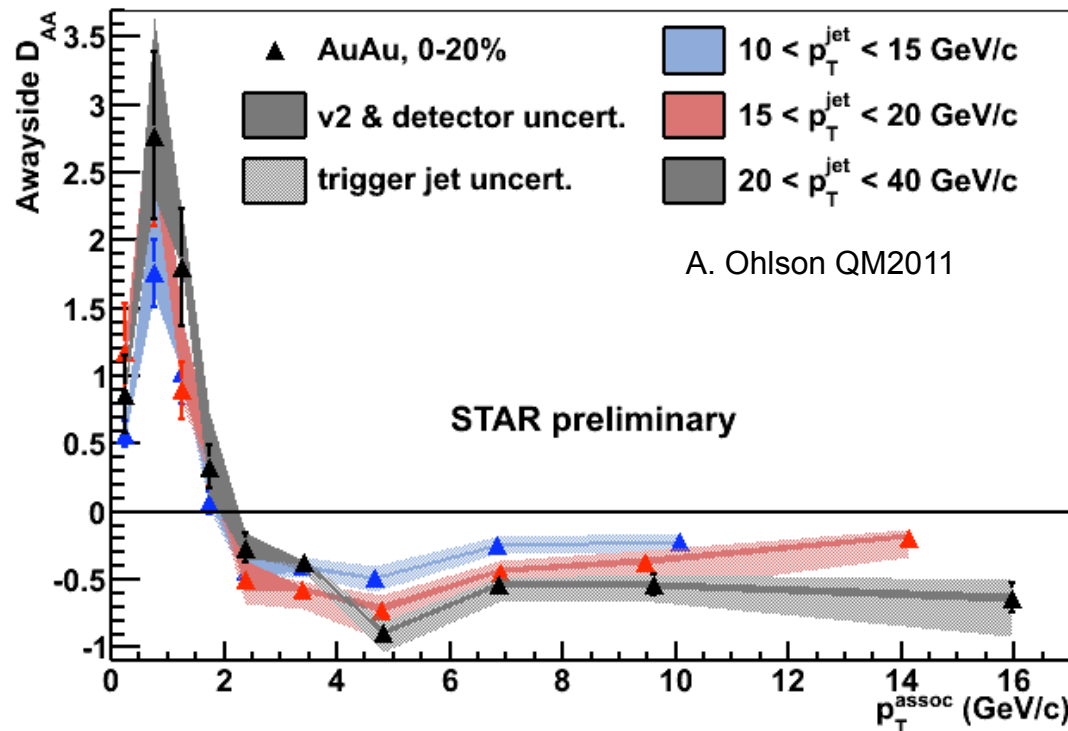
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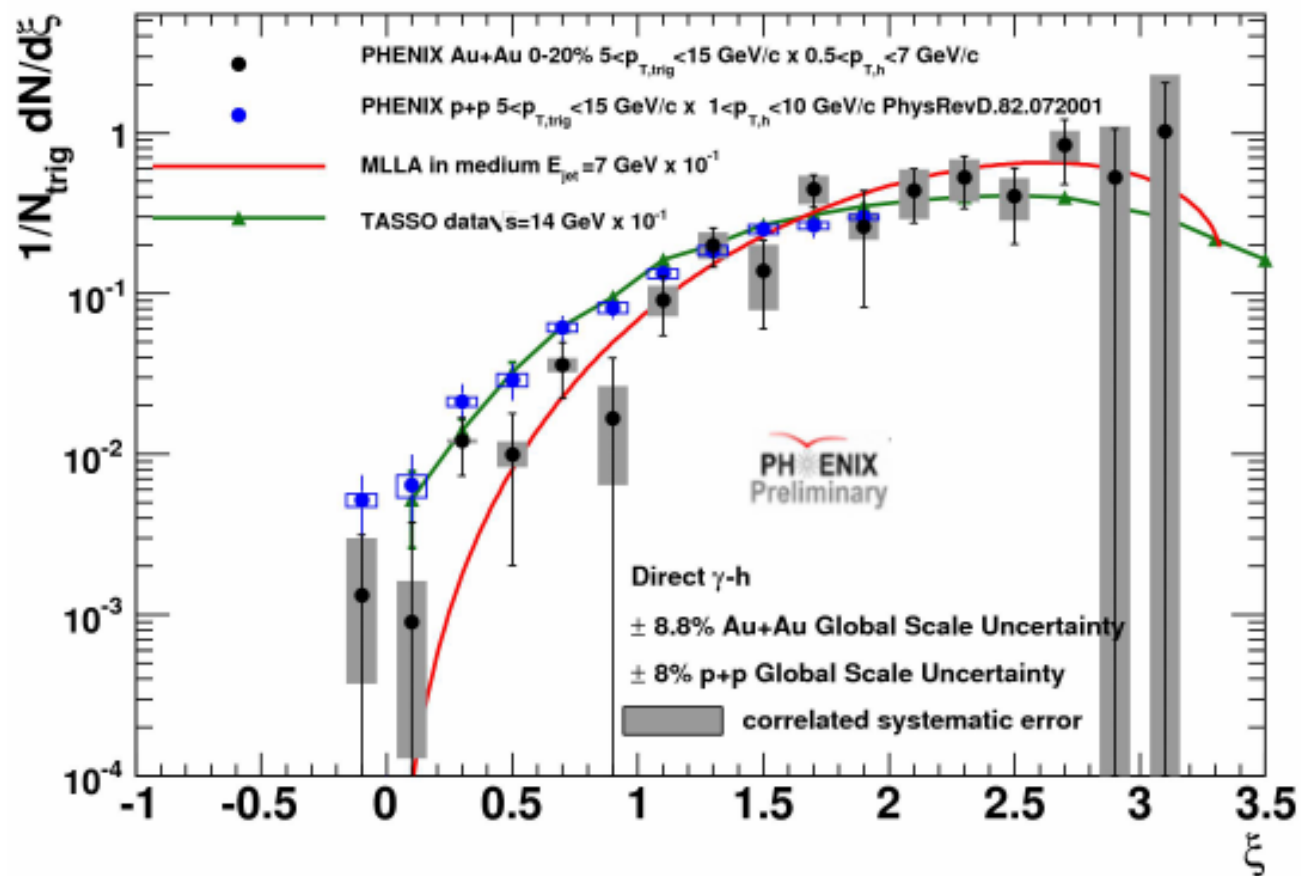
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**Jet-quenching at work !**

# Direct $\gamma$ -hadron correlations

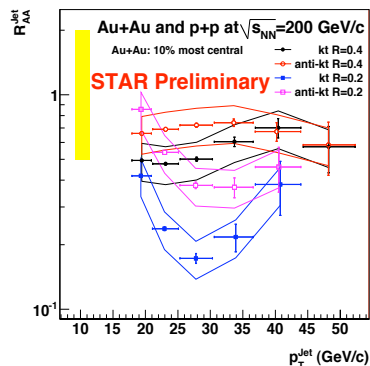
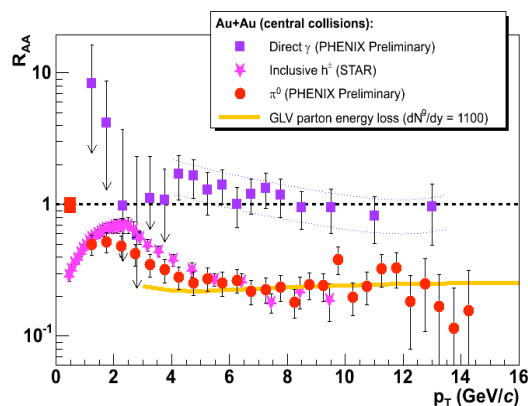


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$$\xi = -\ln \left( \frac{p_T^h}{p_T^\gamma} \right)$$

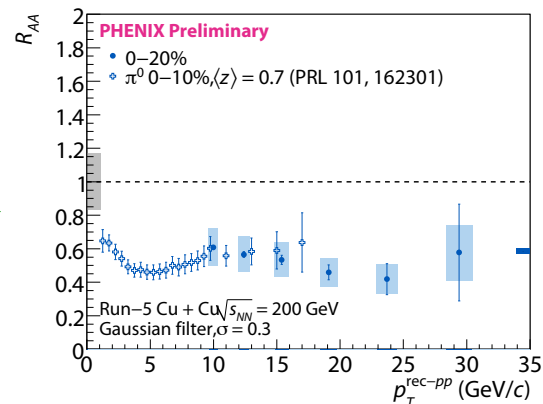
**Softening of jet fragmentation measured in  $\gamma$ -jets!**

# Summary @ RHIC:



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Algorithmic differences



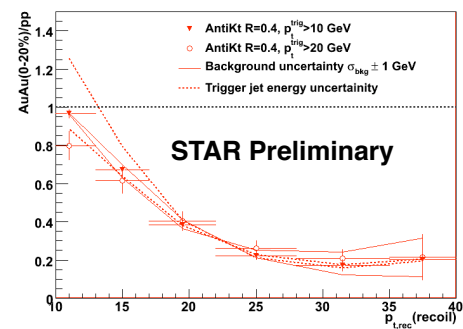
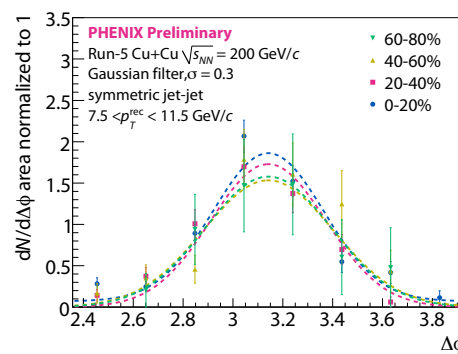
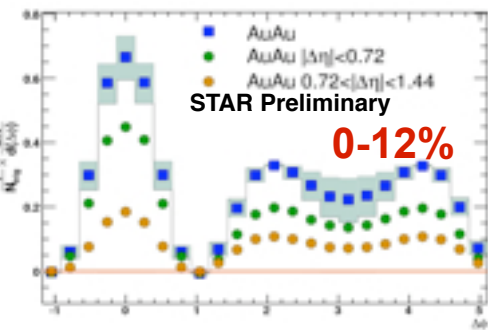
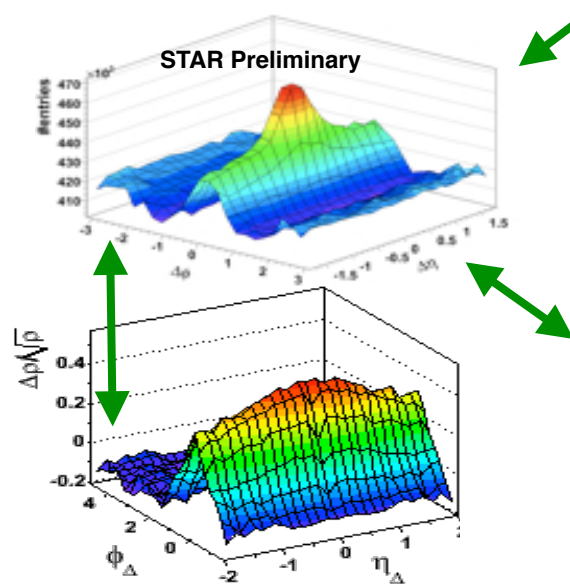
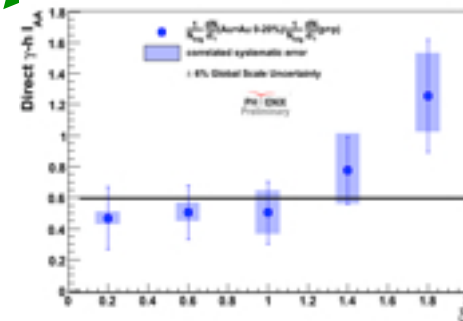
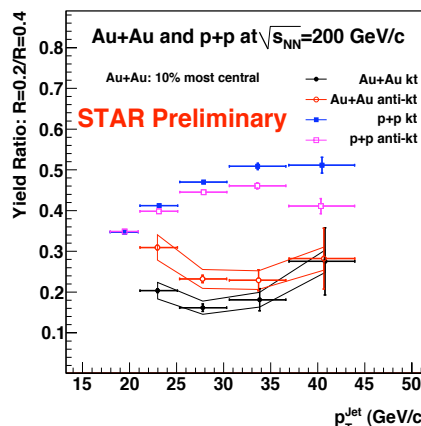
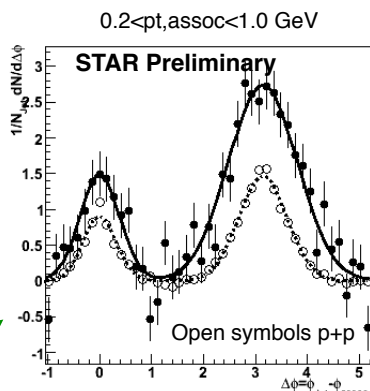
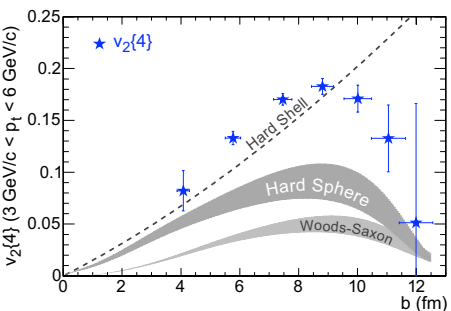
Utilize jet-finding as a tool to investigate jet  $v_2$  and non-flow

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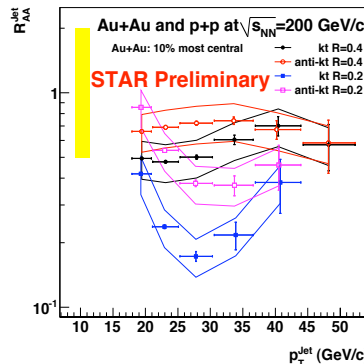
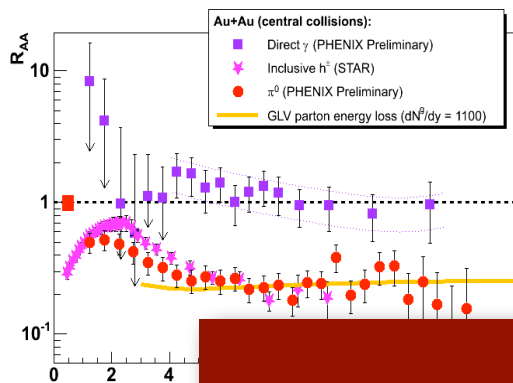
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At low  $p_T$ , we are measuring bulk effects ( $v_3$ )! Effect of  $v_n$  at high  $p_T$ /Jets? To be quantified!

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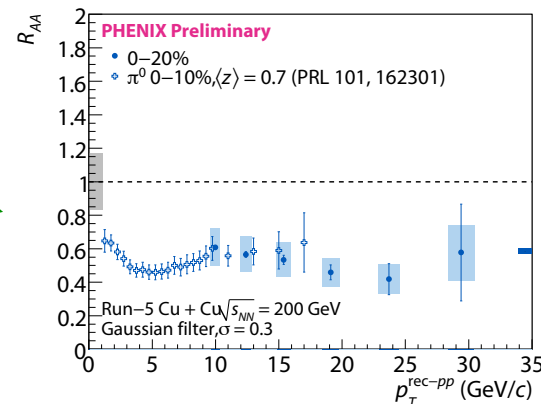


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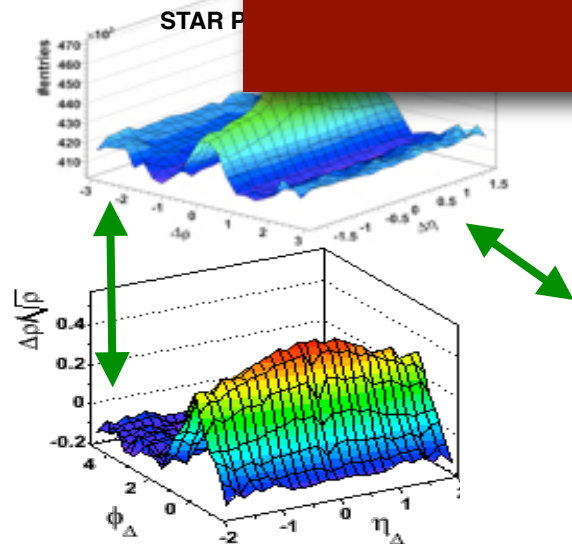
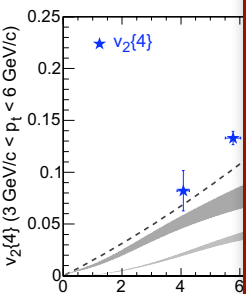
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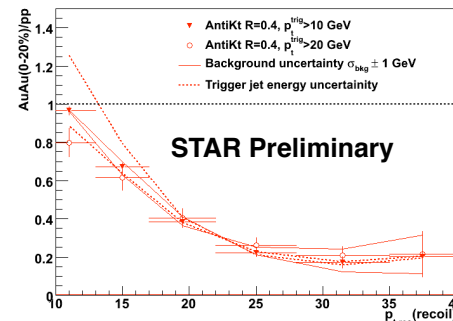
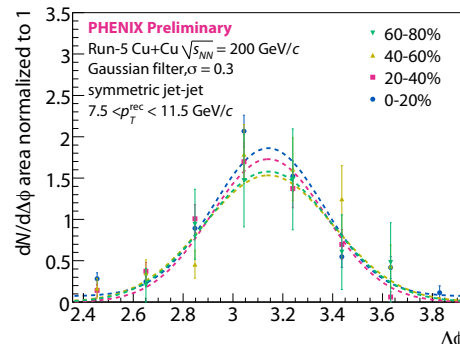
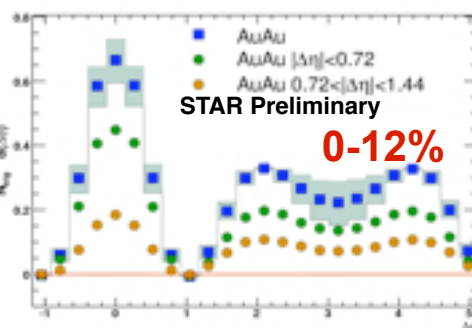


## Jet quenching @ RHIC:

(Light flavor) Jet quenching measurements at RHIC (mid-rapidity) can be qualitatively explained in a consistent picture by significant broadening and softening of the jet structure caused by (pQCD-like) partonic energy loss in the medium!



high pT/Jets?  
To be quantified!



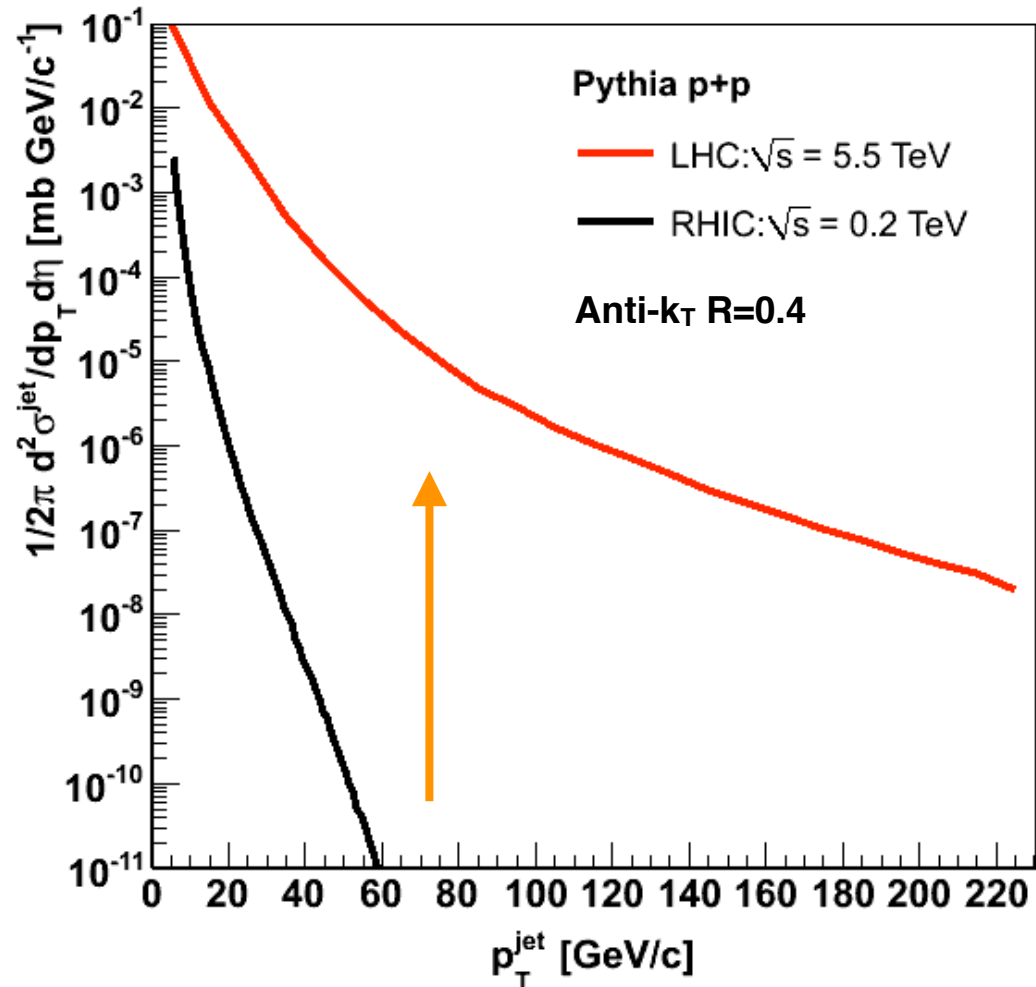
# Just a reminder: LHC, the hard probes factory!

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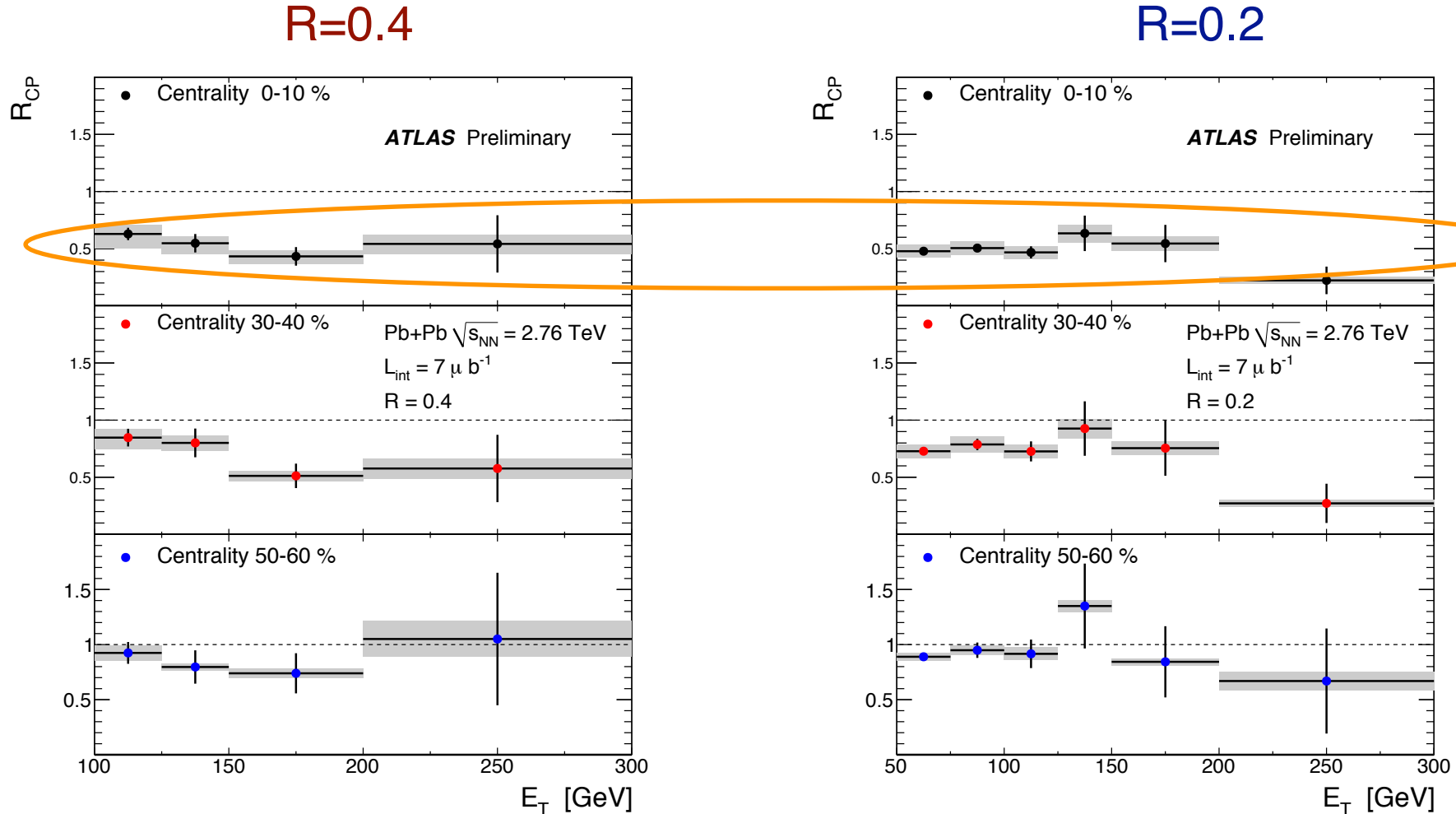
ALICE *arXiv:1012.4035, arXiv:1011.3914, arXiv:1011.3916*

- fireball hotter and denser, lifetime longer than at RHIC
- dynamics dominated by partonic degrees of freedom

**Huge increase in yield of hard probes/jet production!**



# Jet $R_{CP}$ at the LHC



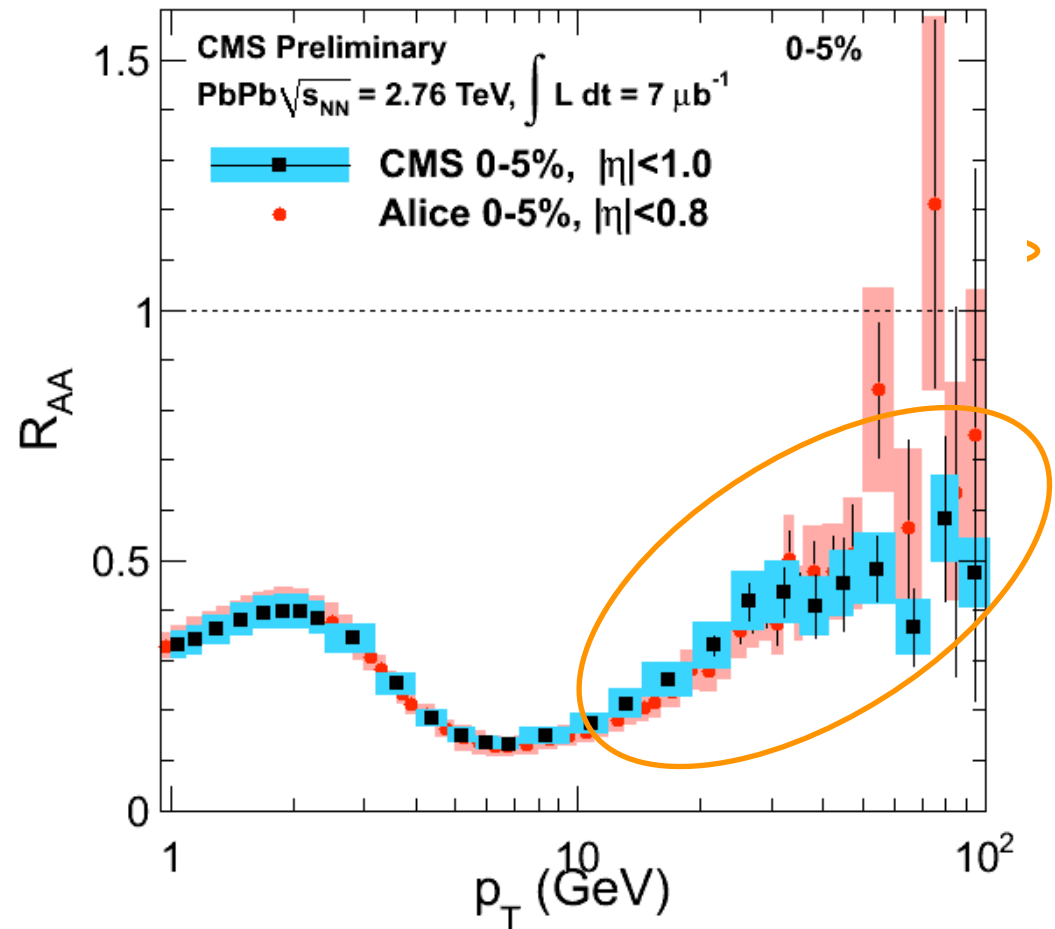
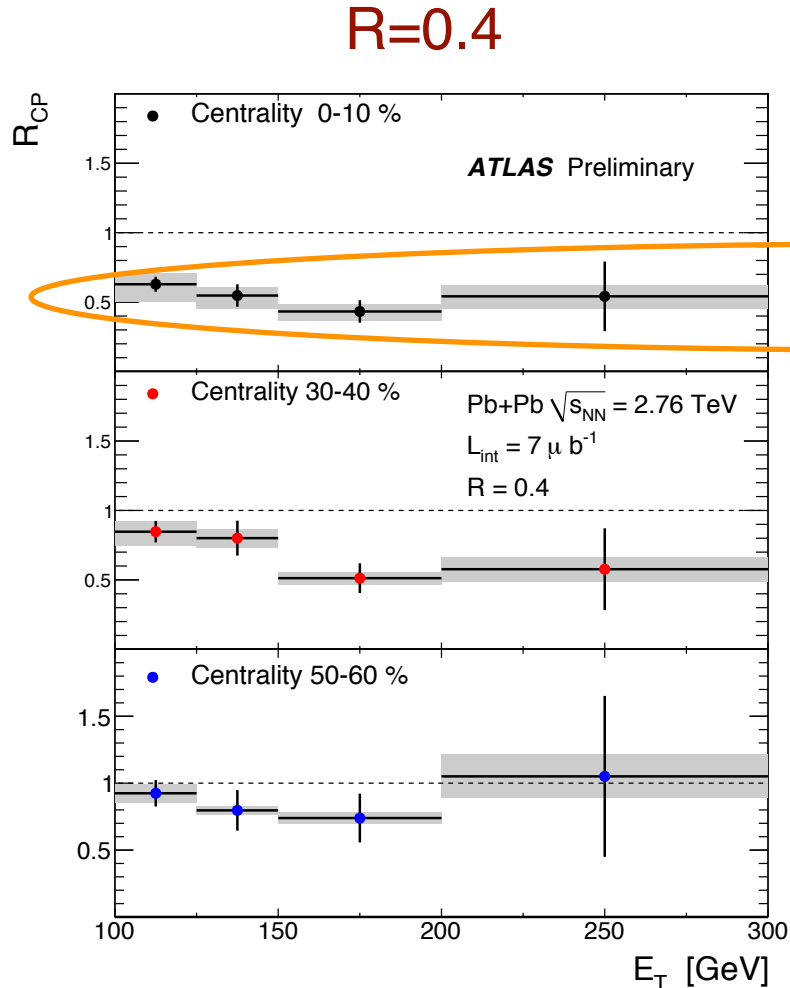
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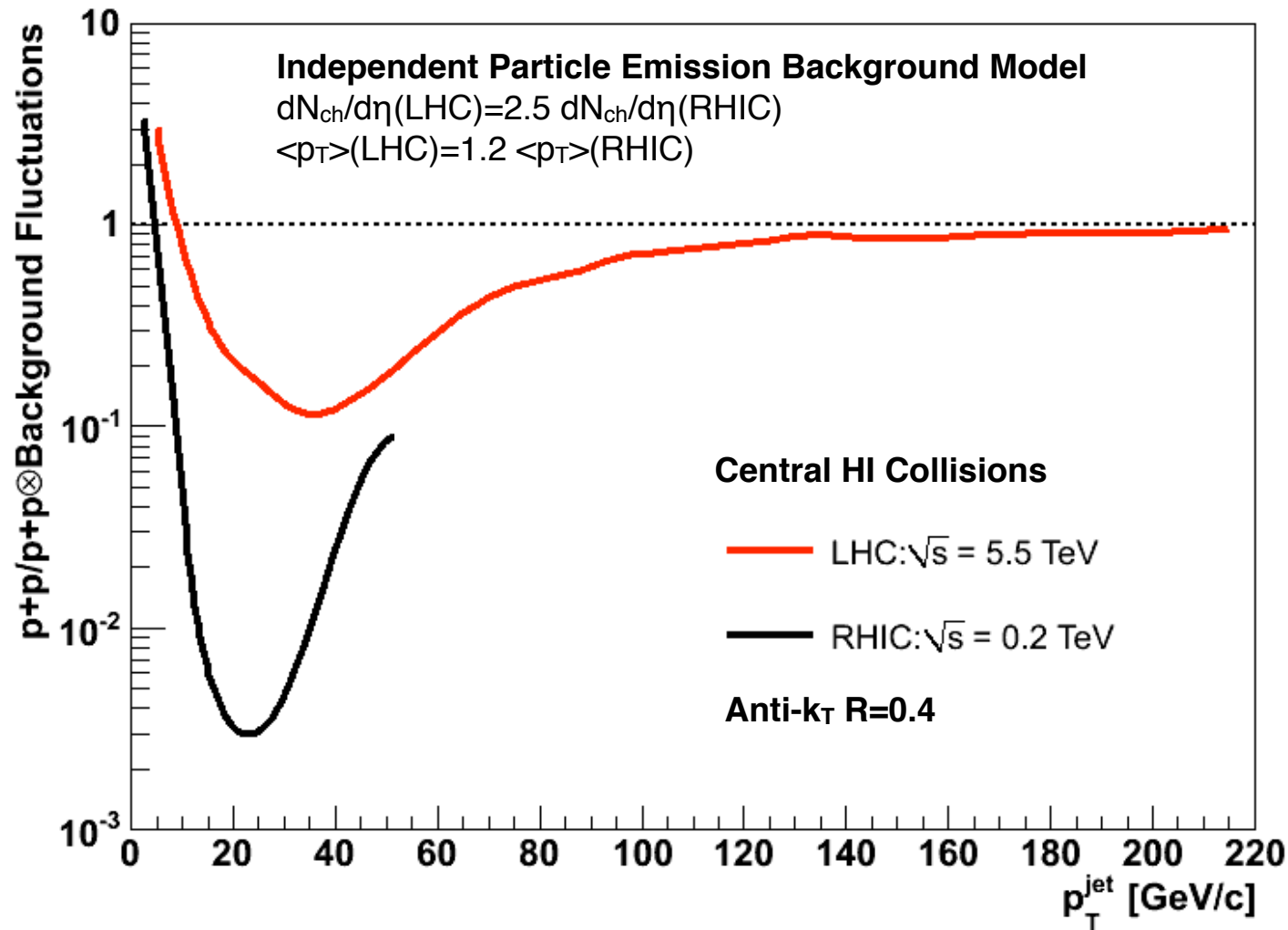
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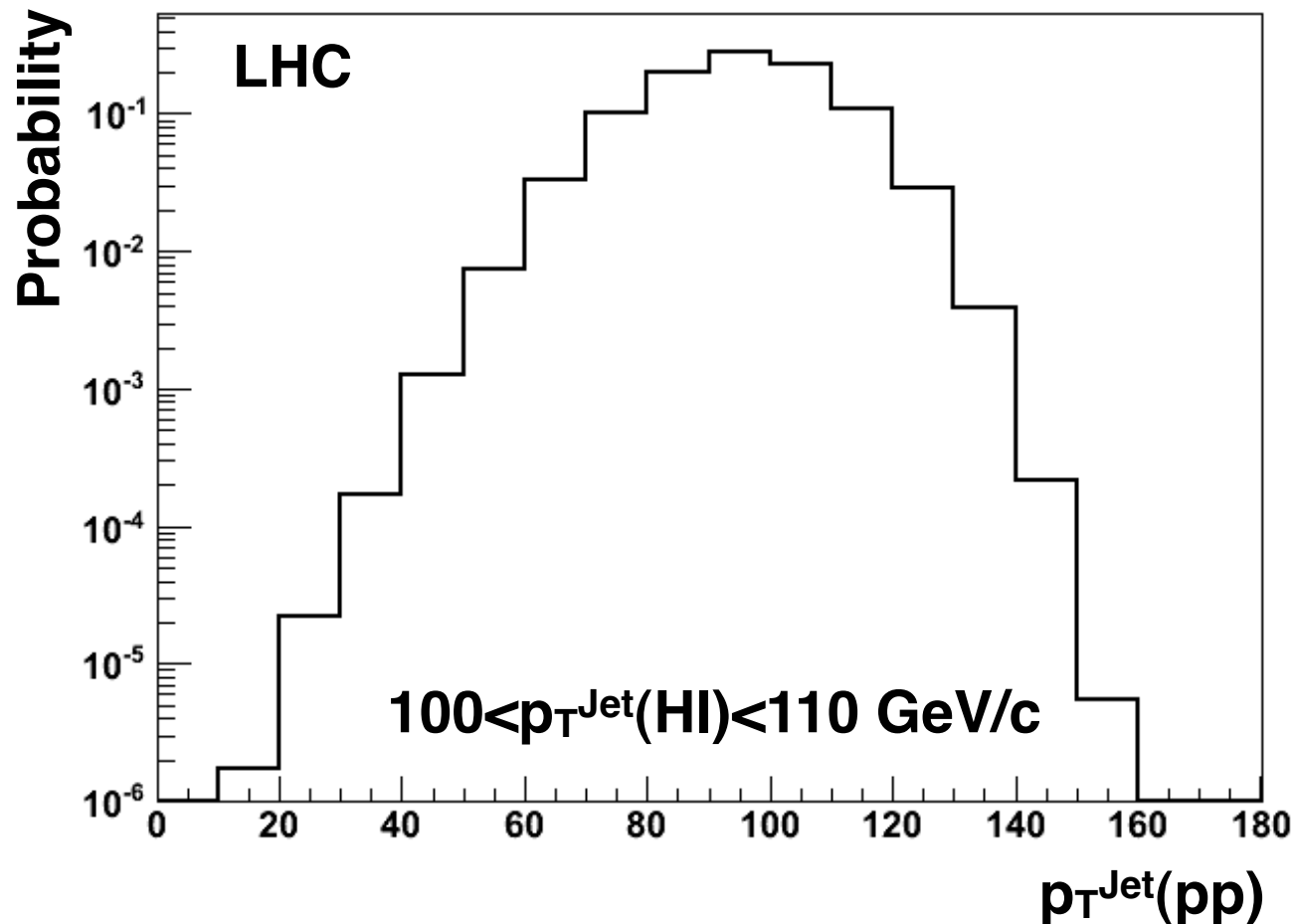
# Reminder: Effect of background fluctuations at the LHC

Toy model: use the independent emission model and p+p x-section



**Small effect on inclusive jet x-section at the LHC for  $p_T^{\text{jet}} > 100$  GeV/c**

# Effect of fluctuations on individual jet energy scale ...



**Fluctuations have a visible effect on the p+p equivalent JES selection**

**Magnitude off effect depends on details of the fluctuation spectrum**

How to take n-th hard scattering into account not fully understood yet !?

Do they have an effect !? Remember on next slide you might “trigger” on them!?

# Di-jet energy imbalance $A_j$

Quantify energy imbalance:

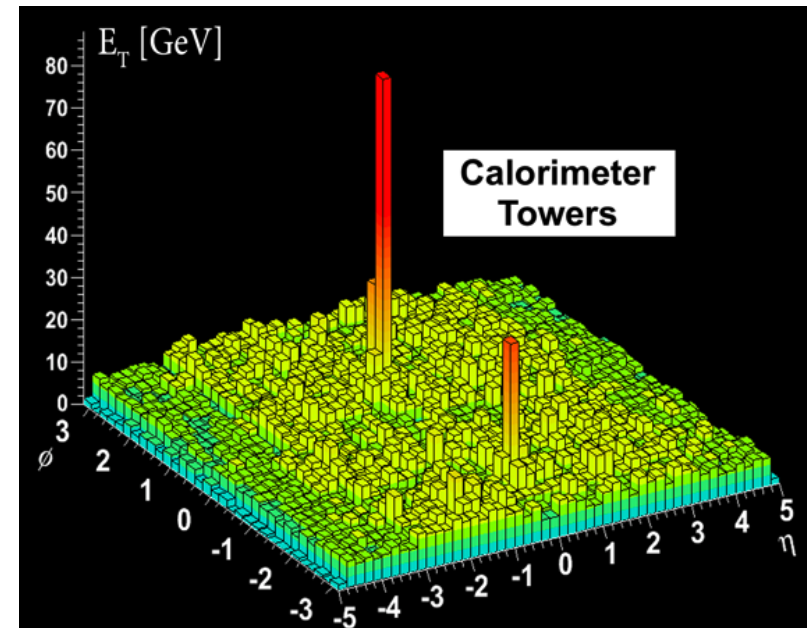
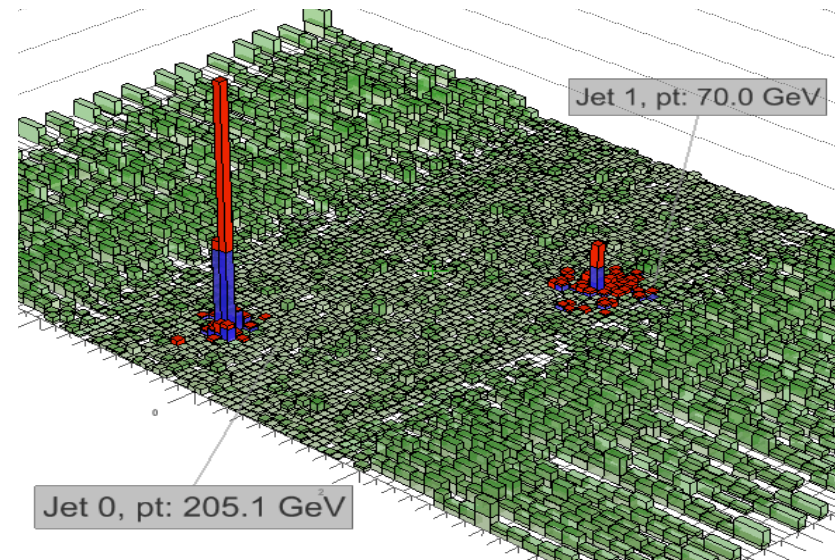
$$A_j = \frac{p_{T,1} - p_{T,2}}{p_{T,1} + p_{T,2}}$$

Atlas:

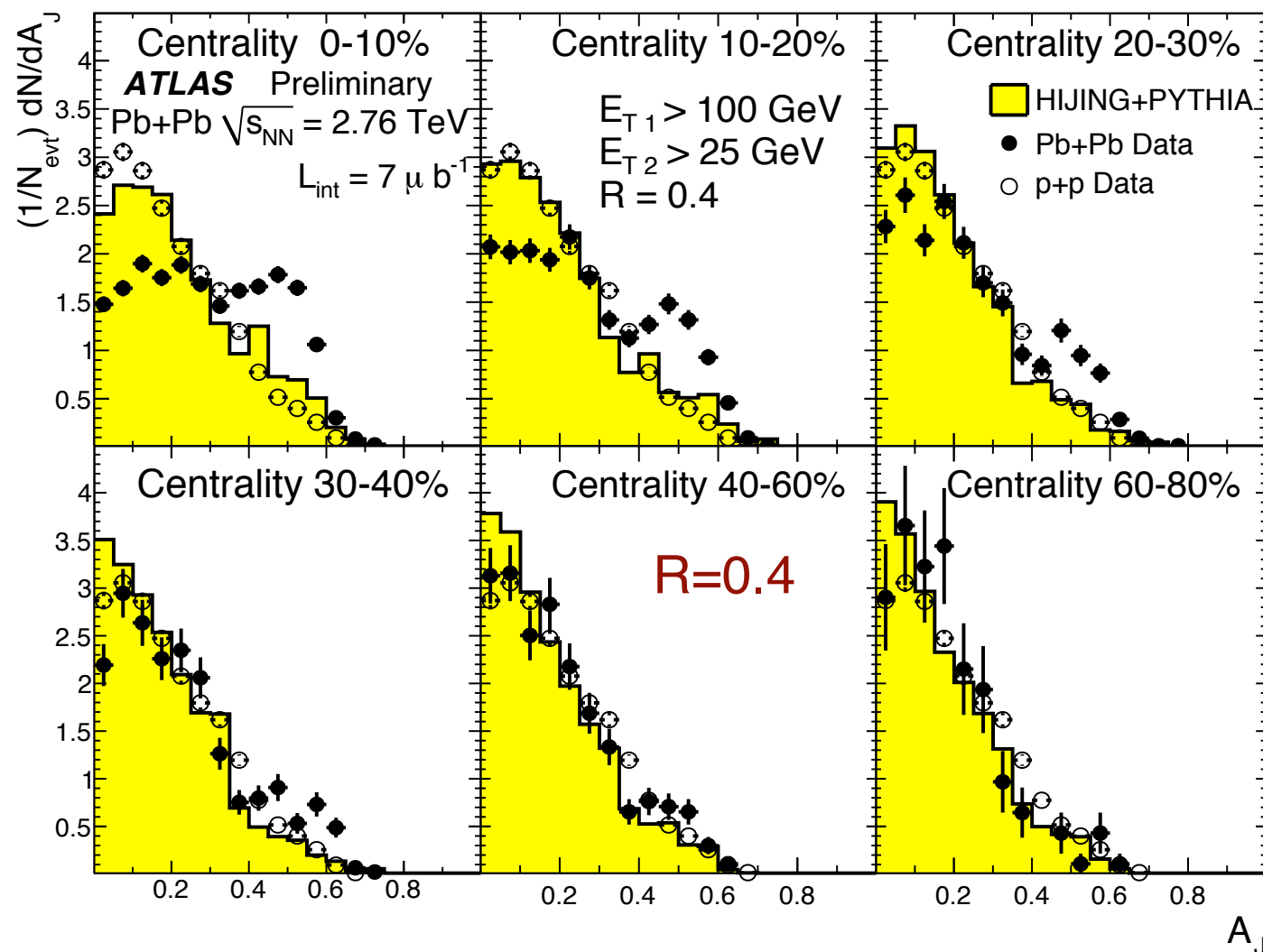
Anti- $K_T$   $R=0.4$  (0.2)

$p_{T,1} > 100$  GeV

$p_{T,2} > 25$  GeV

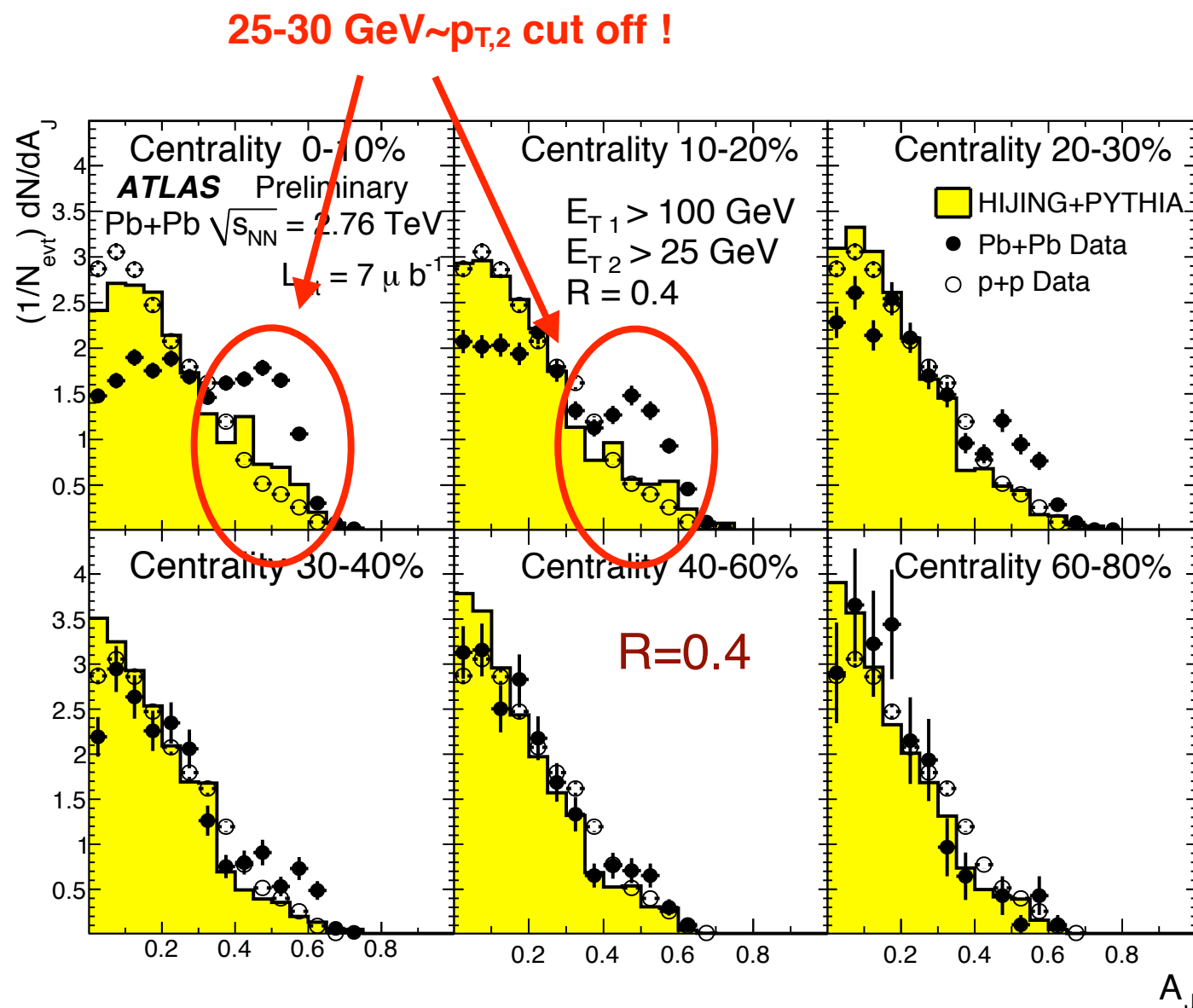


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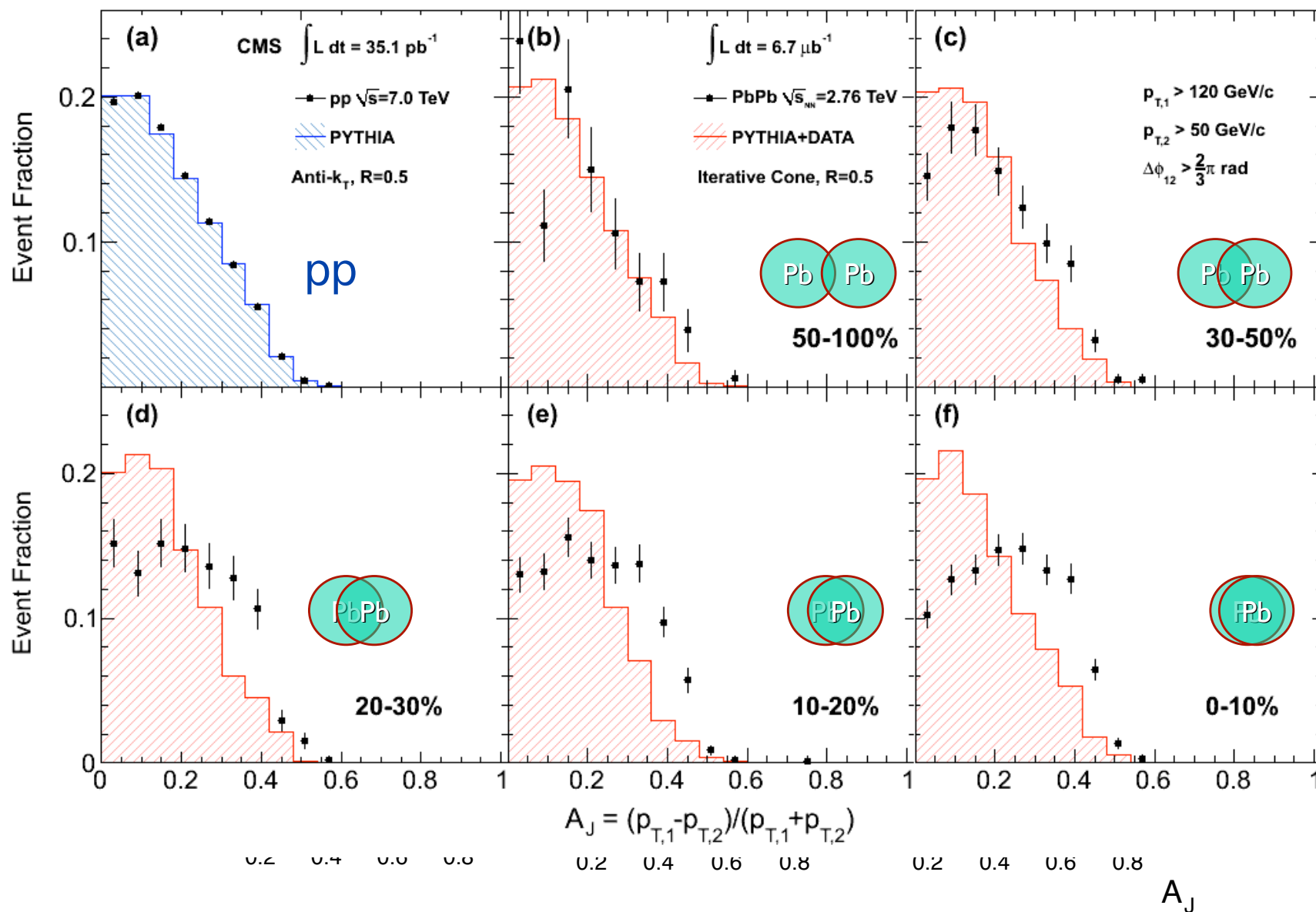
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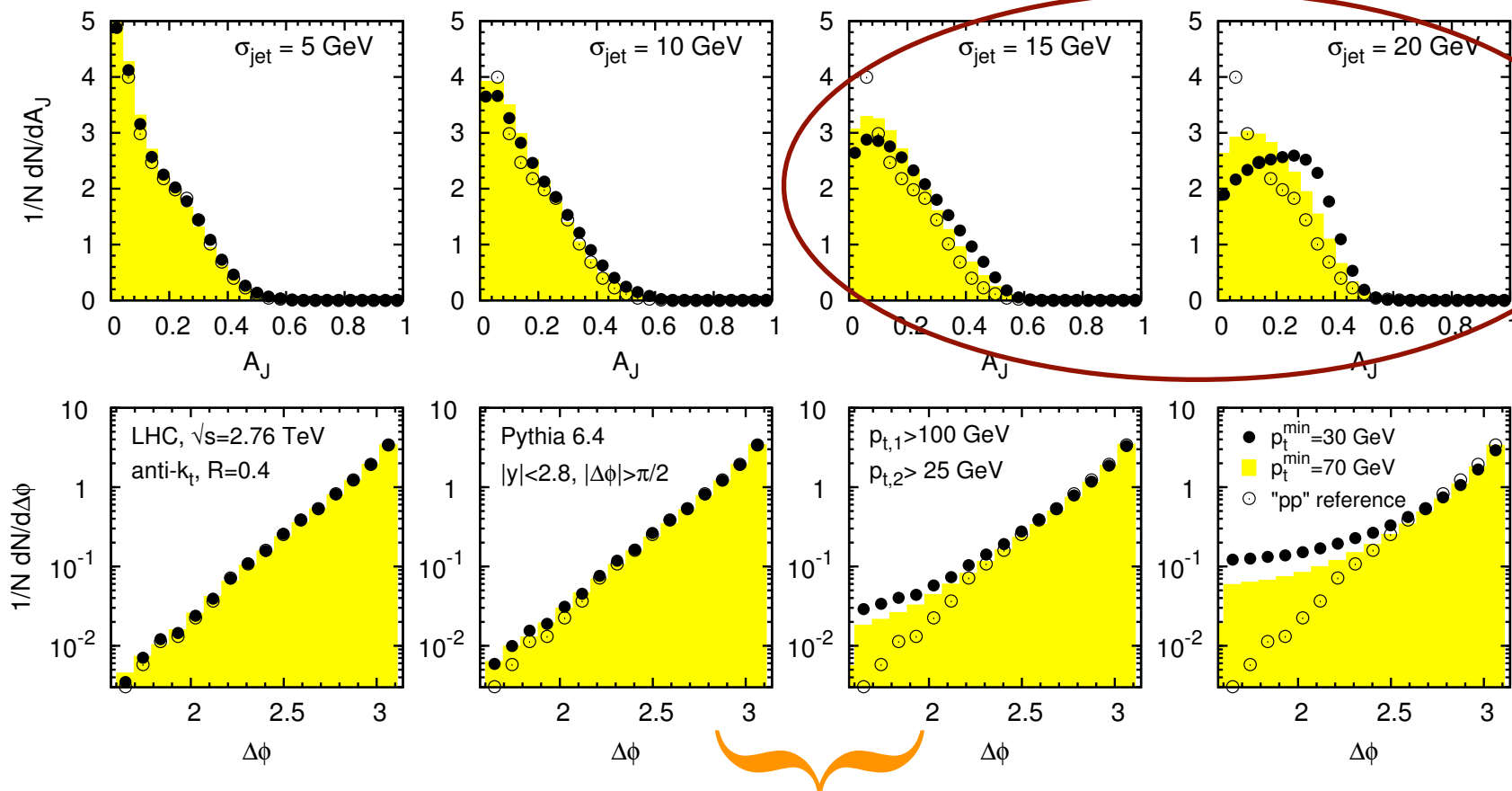
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# Di-jet asymmetry: Fluctuations (may) matter ...

Cacciari et al, arXiv:1101.2878

Increasing fluctuations (on trigger jet) →

Pythia with Gaussian smearing



Estimate from independent emission as well as measured by ALICE/ATLAS

**Measurement depends on the details of the fluctuation spectrum!**

**Current background estimates suggests only small effects!**

But: n-th scattering, even rare, you might “trigger” on them ... (more studies needed)



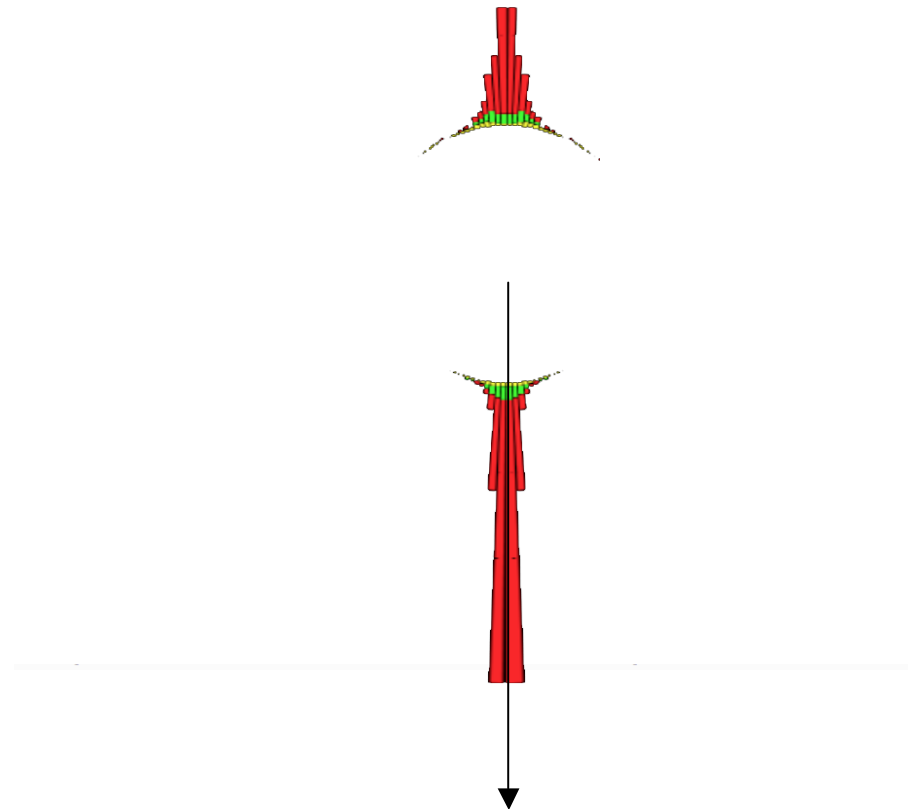
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Leading Jet defines direction

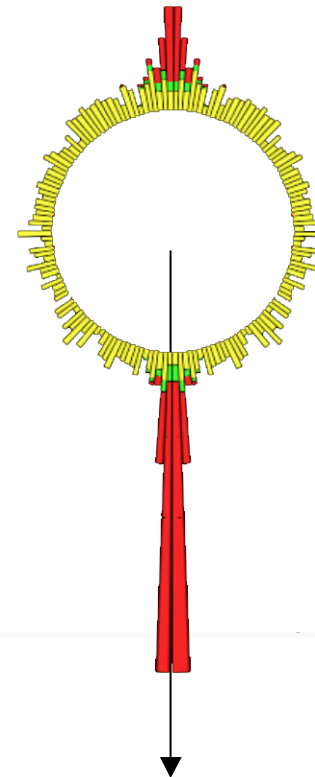
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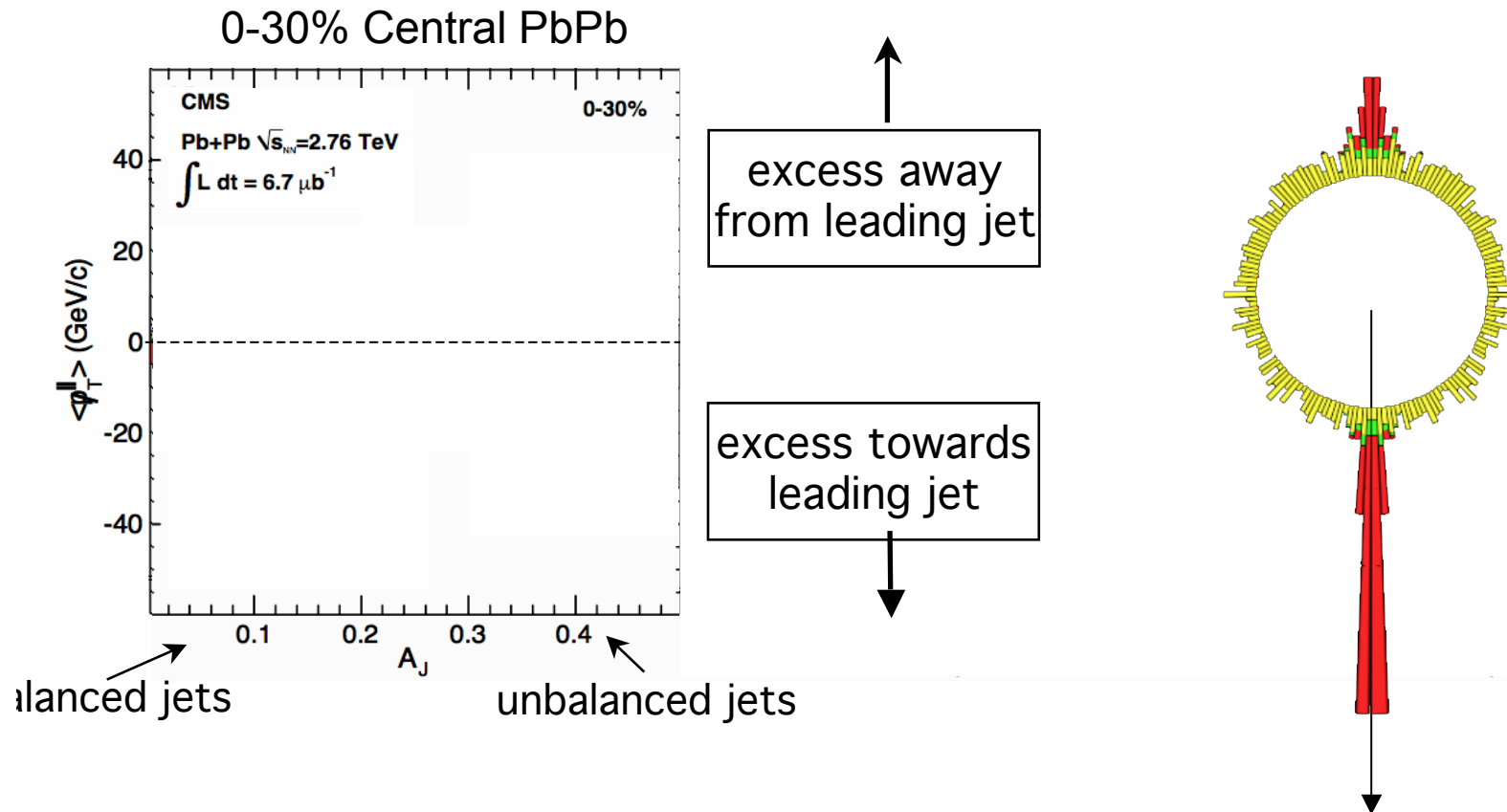


Sum all tracks in the event

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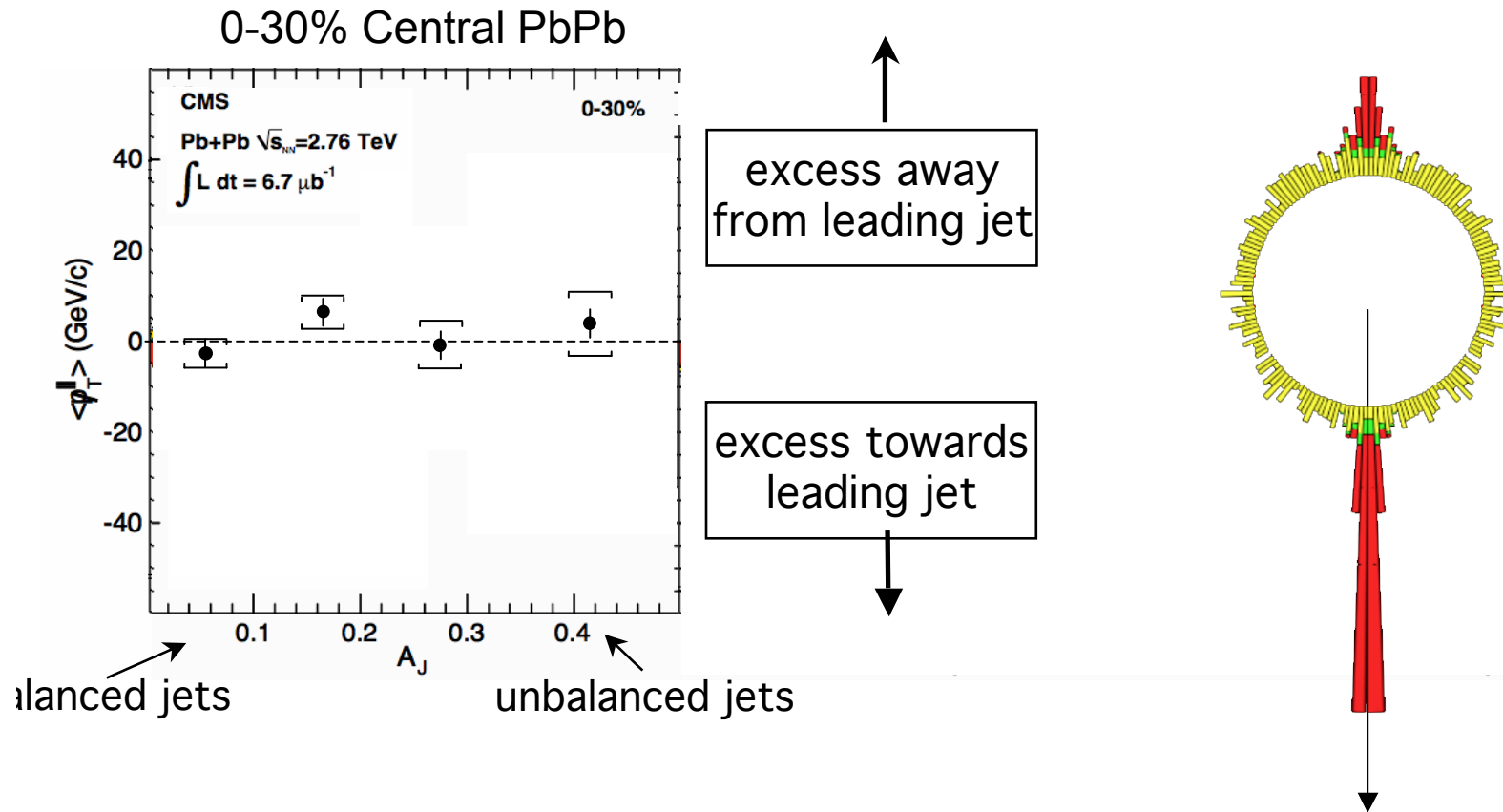
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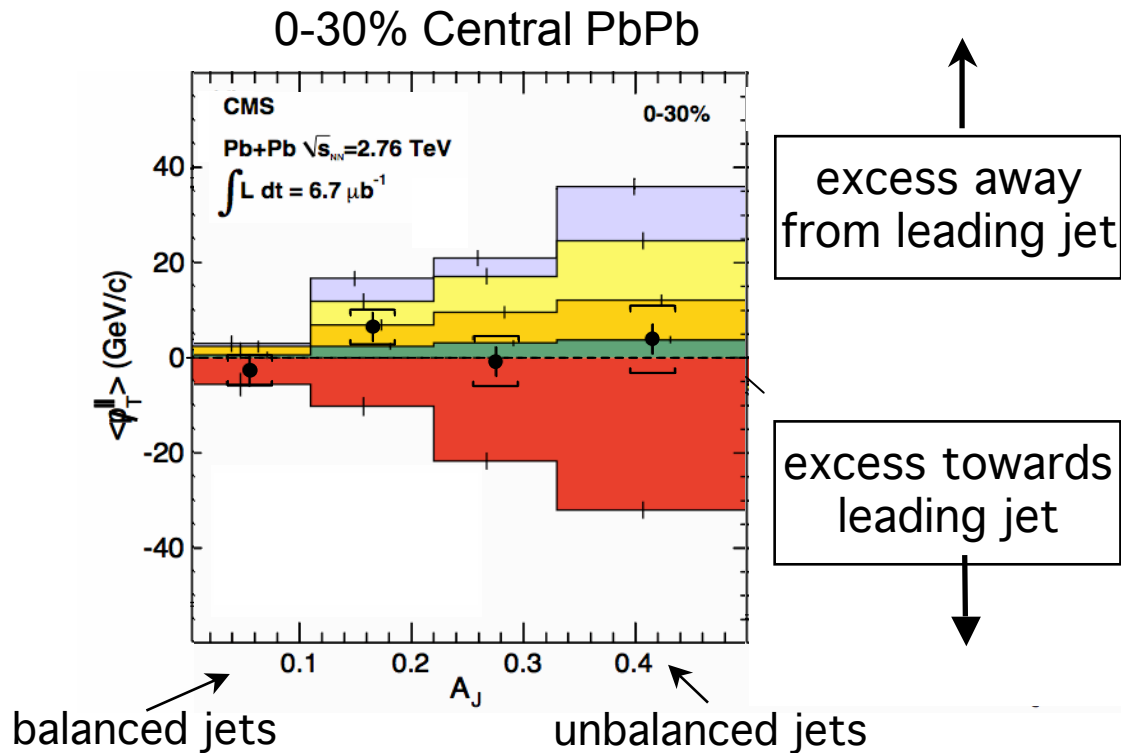


Integrating over the whole event final state  
the momentum balance is restored

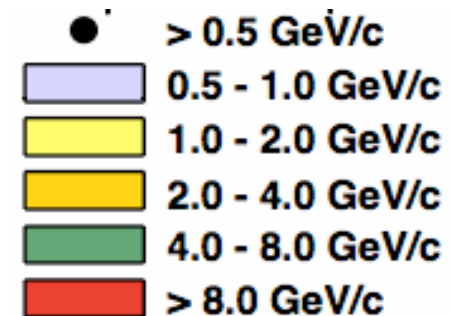
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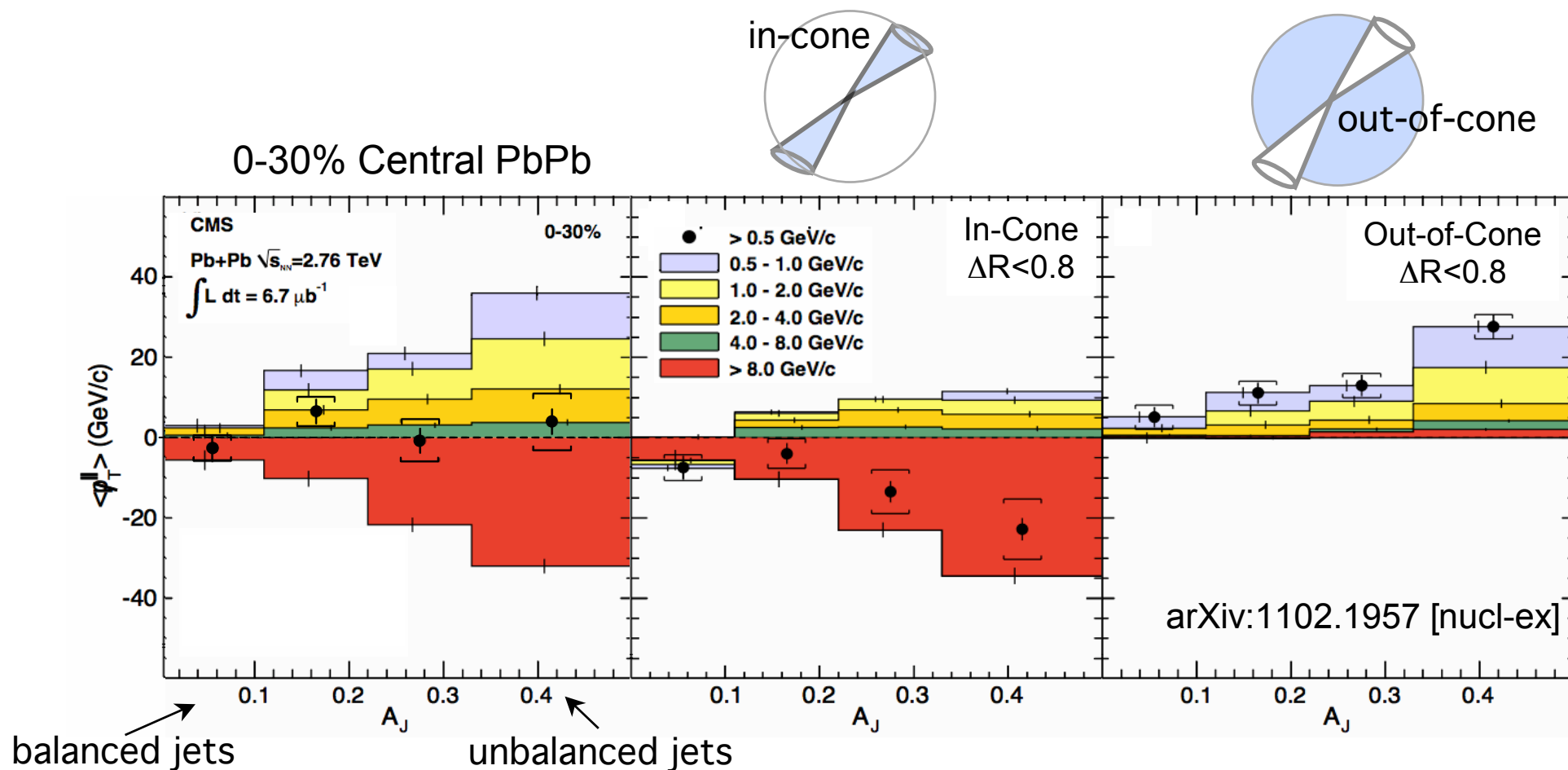


Calculate missing  $p_T$  in ranges of track  $p_T$ :



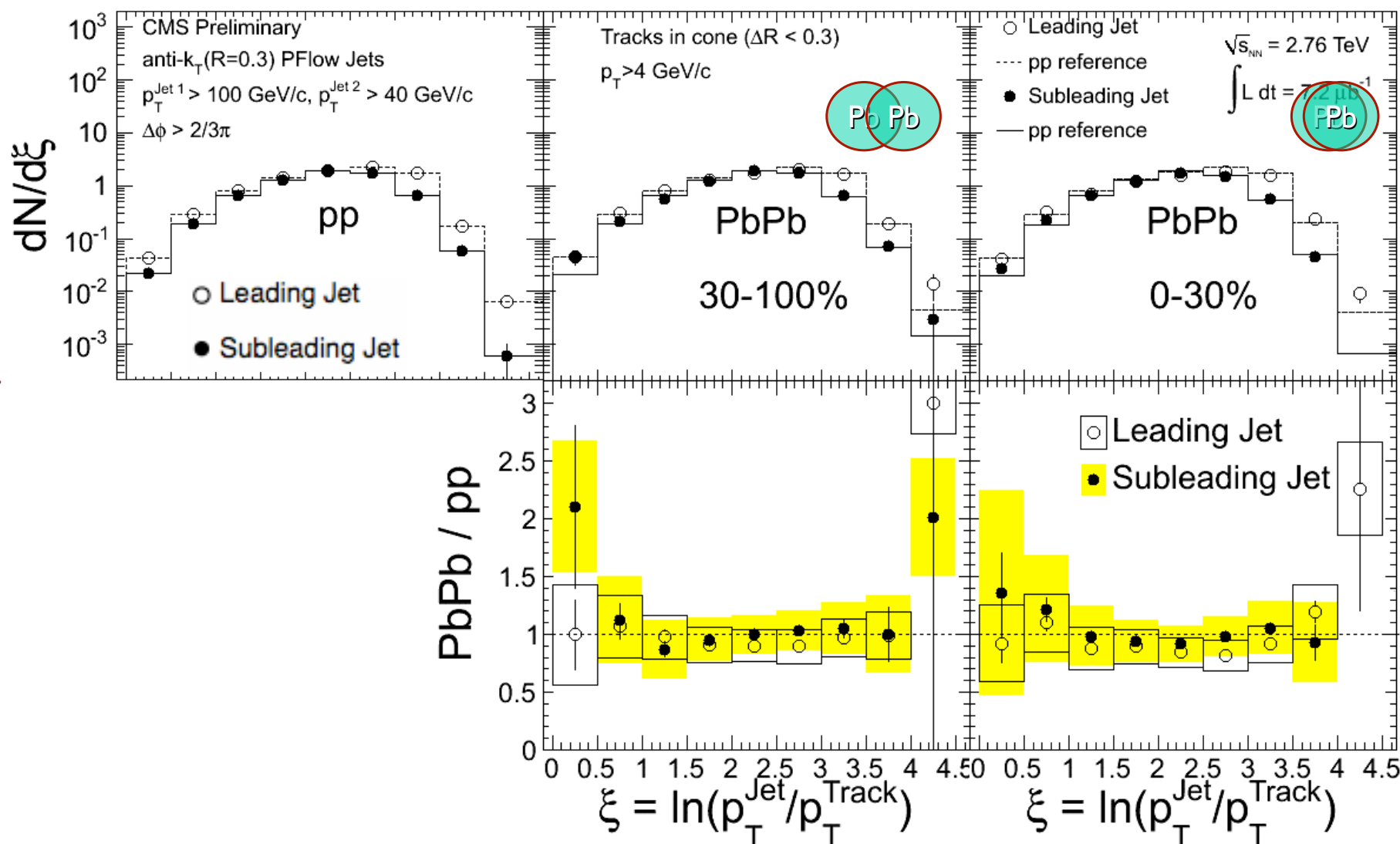
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# Missing $p_T^{\parallel}$ continued: Where are the low- $p_T$ particles?



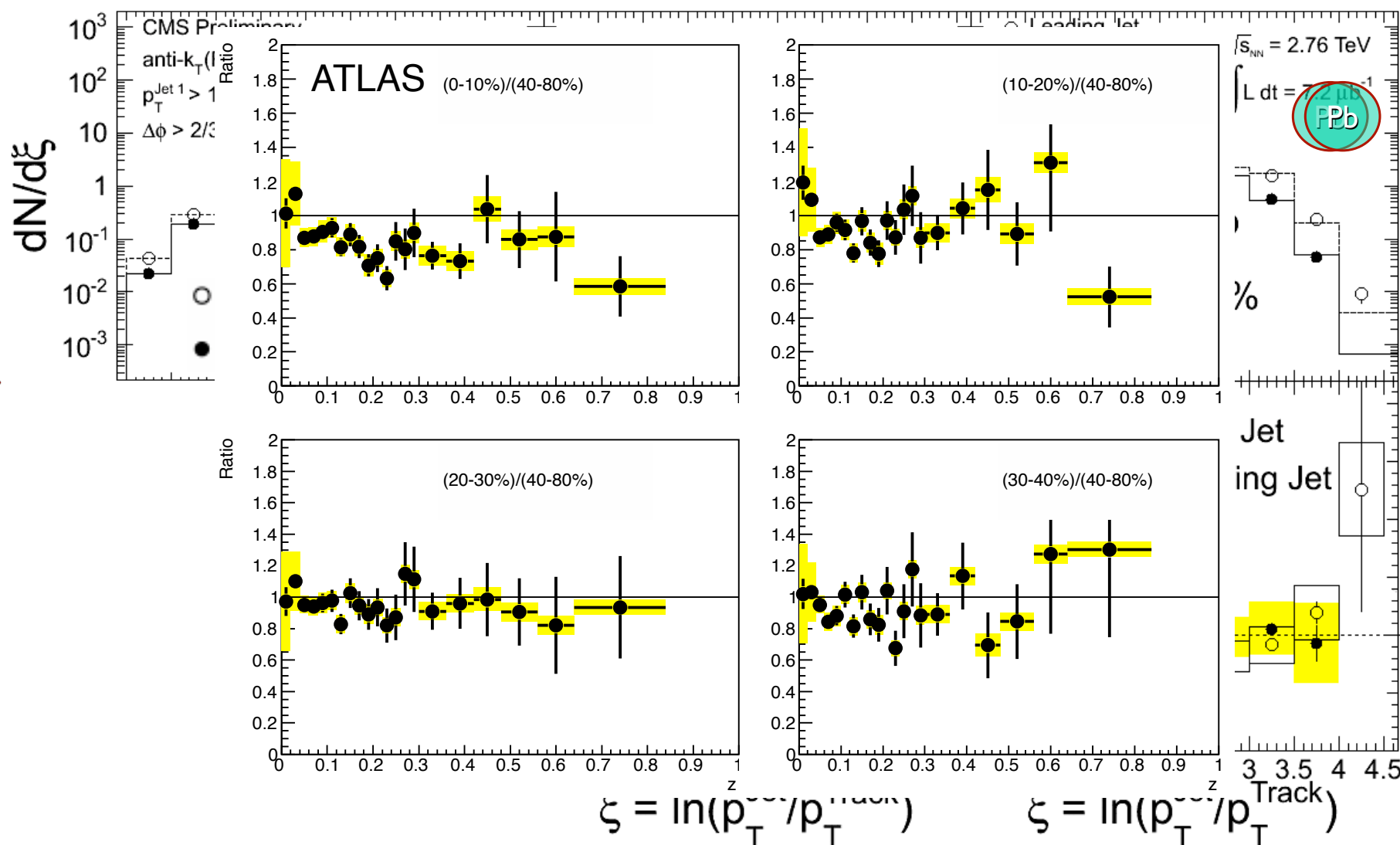
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**Leading and subleading jet in PbPb fragment like jets of corresponding energy in pp collisions**

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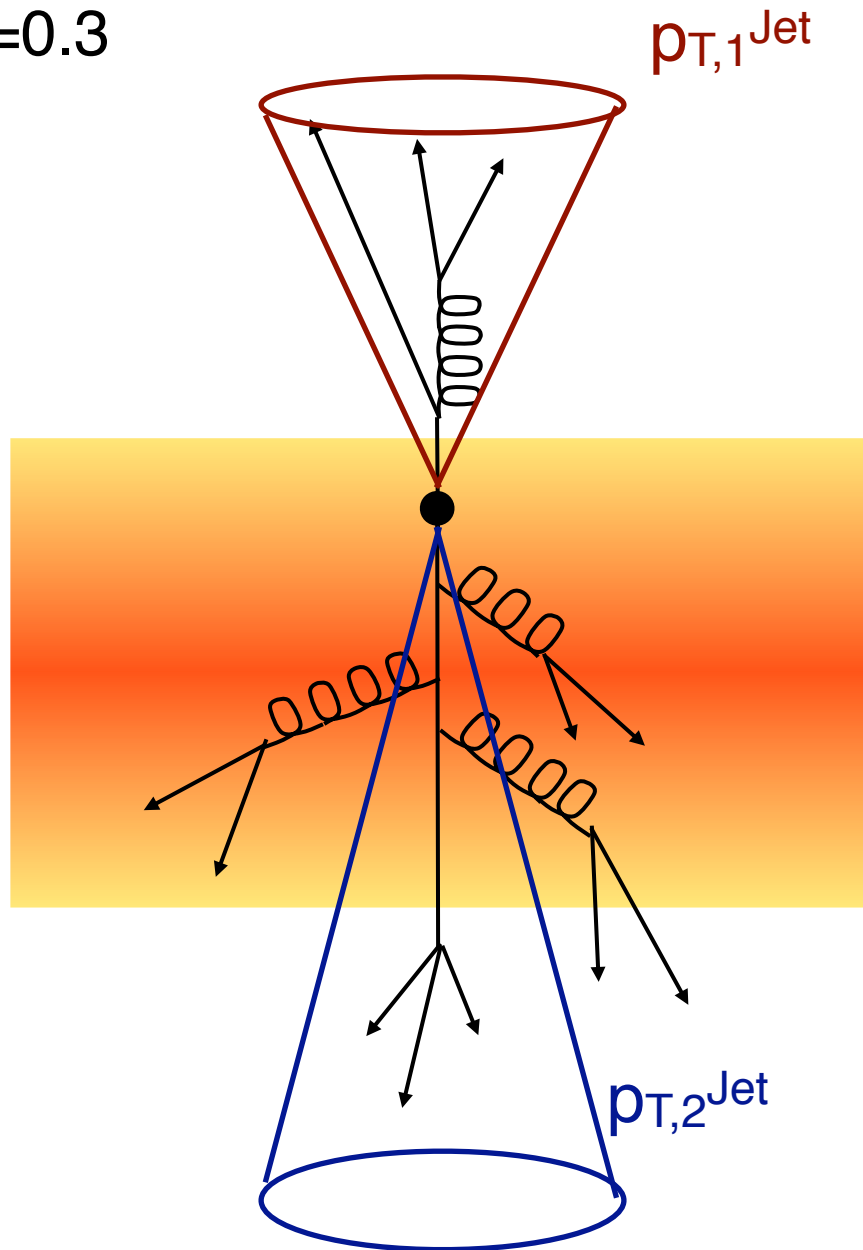
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**With only a small high- $z$  suppression (20%) ...**



# What does that mean ...

$R=0.3$



$$z = p_T^{\text{Hadron}} / p_T^{\text{Parton}}$$

$$\xi = \ln(1/z)$$

What is measured:

$$z = p_T^{\text{Track}} / p_T^{\text{Jet}}$$

with leading jet:

$$z = p_T^{\text{Track}} / p_{T,1}^{\text{Jet}}$$

and sub-leading jet:

$$z = p_T^{\text{Track}} / p_{T,1}^{\text{Jet}}$$

$$p_T^{\text{Parton}} = p_T^{\text{Jet}} = p_{T,2(1)}^{\text{Jet}} + \Delta p_{T,2(1)}$$

If the jet loses energy at larger angles ( $R > 0.3$ ) then the LHC FF measures the jet core fragmenting in vacuum with a reduced jet energy (as the RHIC results suggest)!

# Summary

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**Jet quenching measurements at RHIC can be qualitatively explained in a consistent picture by significant broadening and softening of the jet structure favoring a (pQCD-like) partonic energy loss in the medium**

**Suppression of jet  $R_{CP}$  as well as significant di-jet energy imbalance observed at the LHC which is balanced at low- $p_T$  at large angles ( $R > 0.8$ )**

**Jet fragmentation functions (with small  $R=0.3$ ) are unmodified wrt to p+p, suggesting energy loss followed by vacuum fragmentation outside the medium, consistent with RHIC**

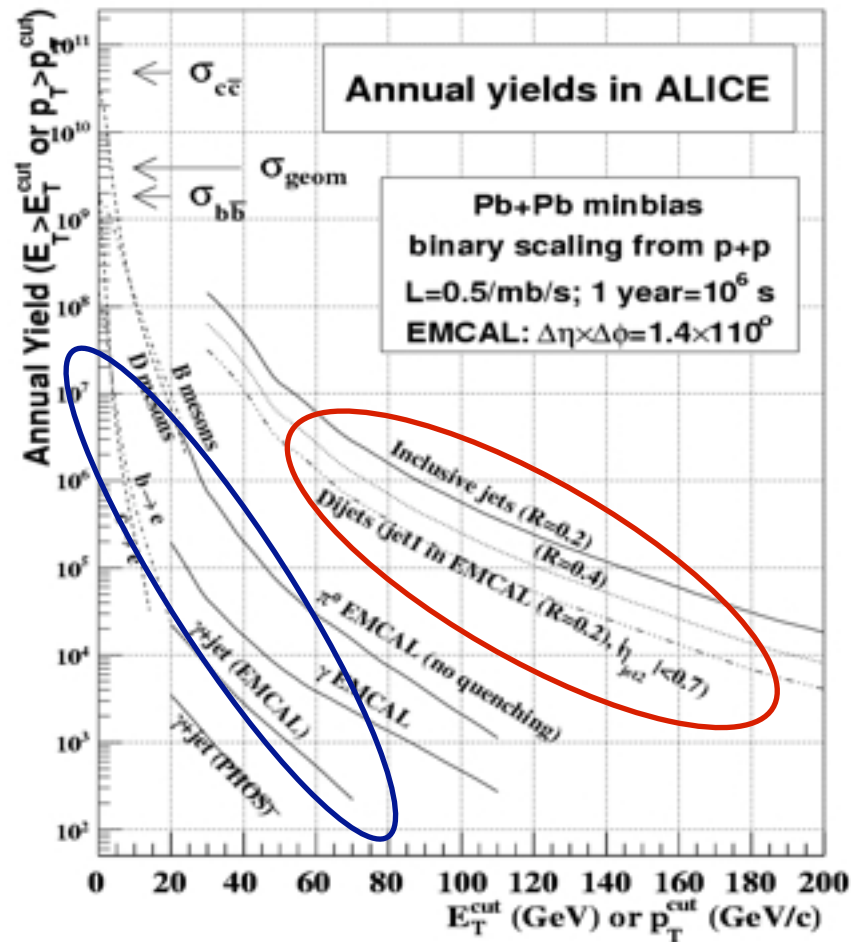
**Is there (qualitative) agreement between the LHC and RHIC results!?**  
(We are comparing 30GeV vs. 100GeV jets ... but remember also p+Pb reference needed!)

**Some open issues concerning background corrections should be addressed before drawing strong conclusion!**

# Outlook

But this is just  
the start ...

Direct  $\gamma$ -Jets at  
LHC allow access  
to lower jet energies  
→ connection to RHIC



**The landscape of hard probes is rich and exciting!**

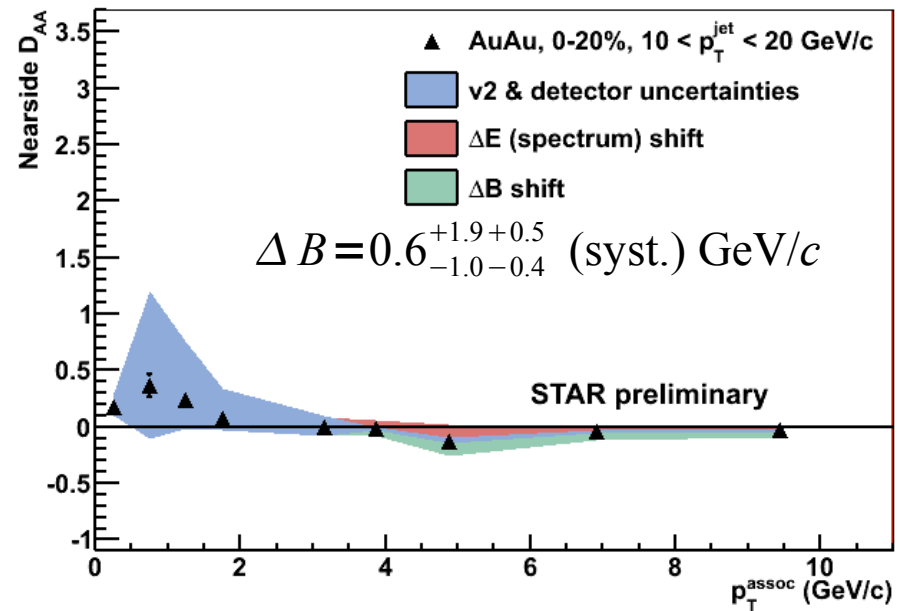
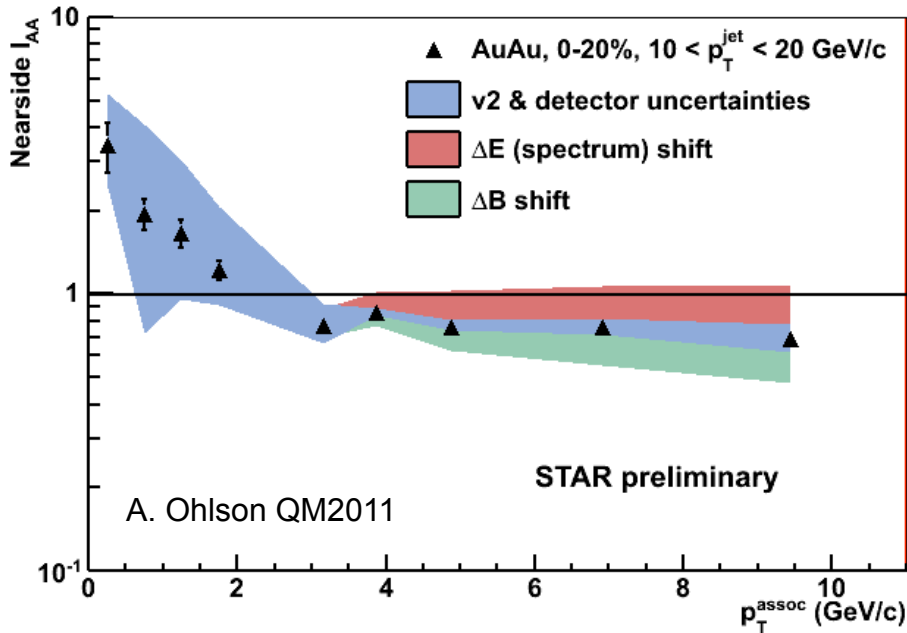
Measure heavy quark energy loss (b-tagged jets) with RHIC upgrades and at the LHC, still open theoretical issue to describe heavy and light flavor energy loss in a consistent framework!

# Backup

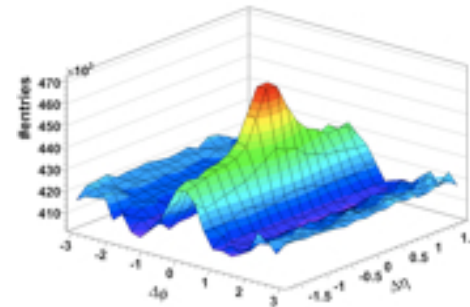
# JH: Near-side $I_{AA}$ and energy balance $D_{AA}$ ...

$$D_{AA}(p_T^{assoc}) = Y_{AA}(p_T^{assoc}) \cdot p_{T,AA}^{assoc} - Y_{pp}(p_T^{assoc}) \cdot p_{T,pp}^{assoc}$$

$$\Delta B = \int dp_T^{assoc} D_{AA}(p_T^{assoc})$$



- Jet broadening on trigger/near-side!
- Enhancement at low  $p_T$  ( $p_T < 2-3$  GeV):  
bkg. biases and/or bulk effects  $v_3$  !?

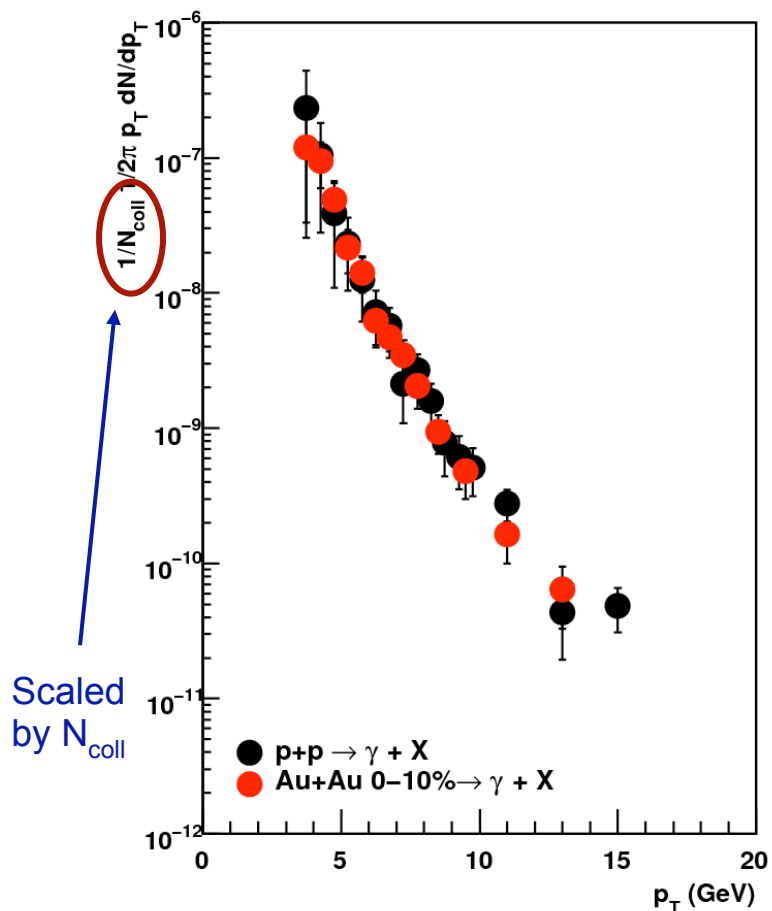


**Both scenarios included in systematic uncertainties!**

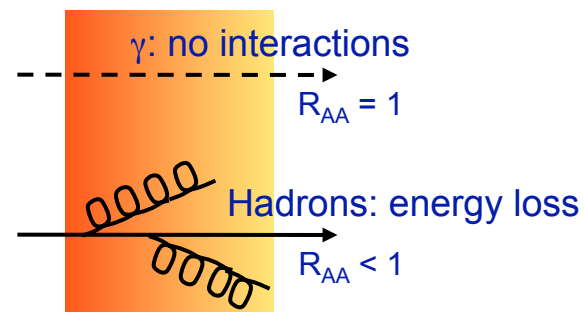
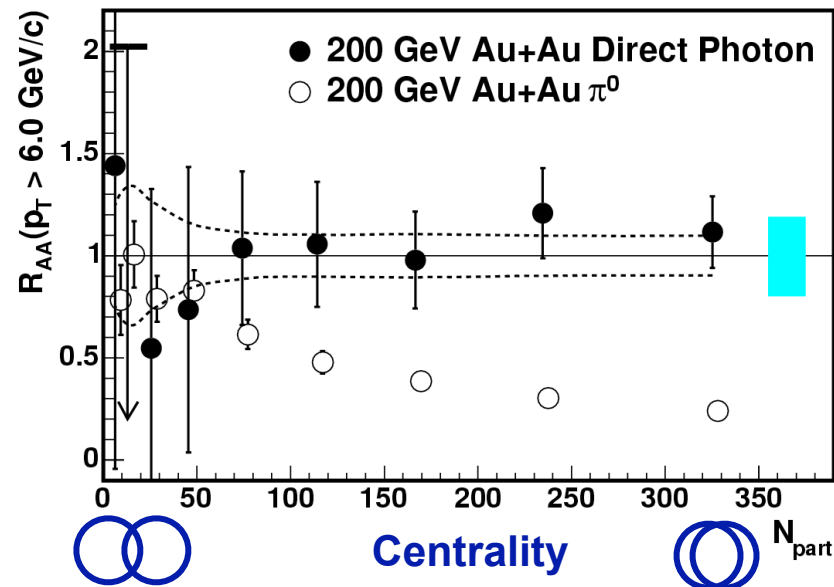
Remark: No higher harmonics included in background subtraction!  $v_n$  for jets not really determined! Open issue!

# Test $N_{\text{coll}}$ scaling with direct photons

Direct  $\gamma$  spectra



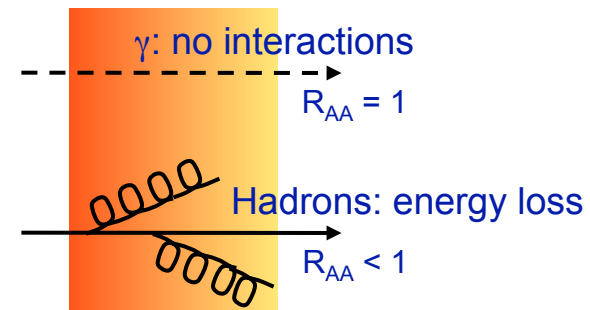
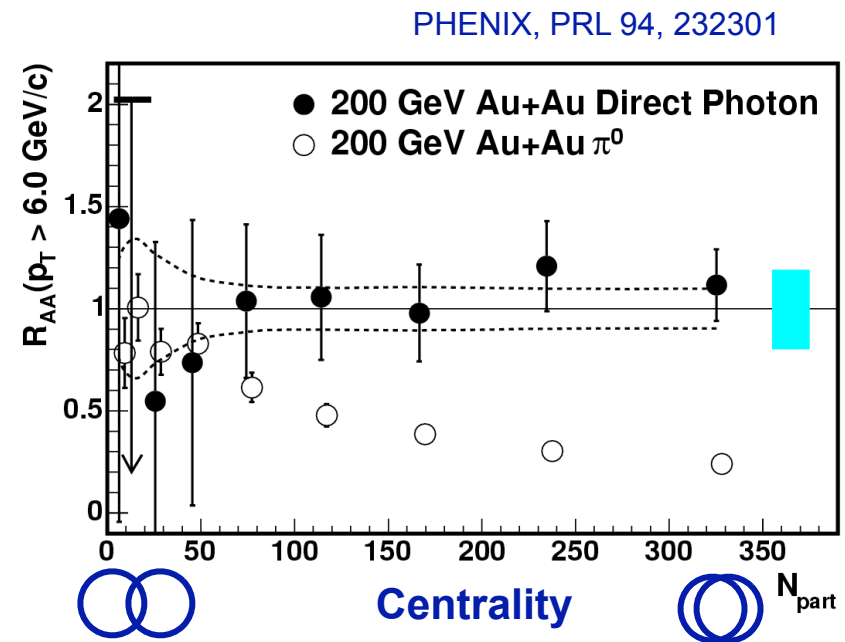
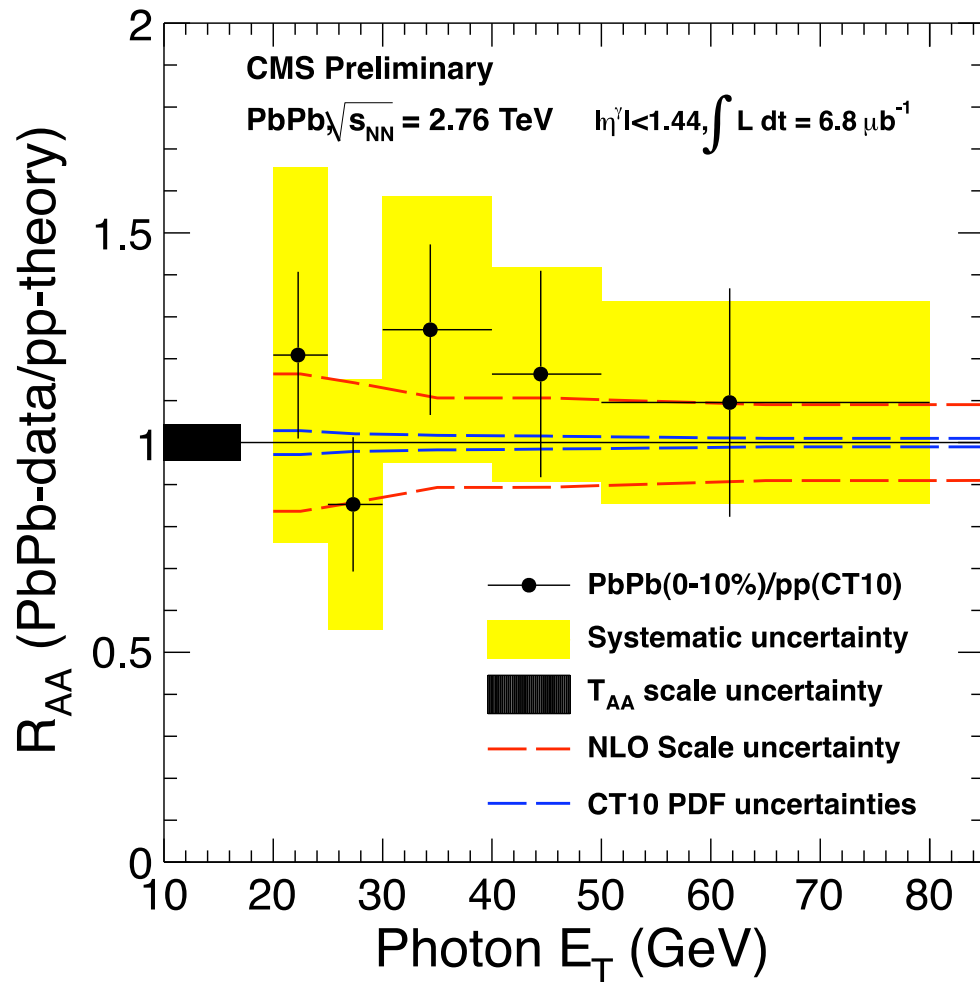
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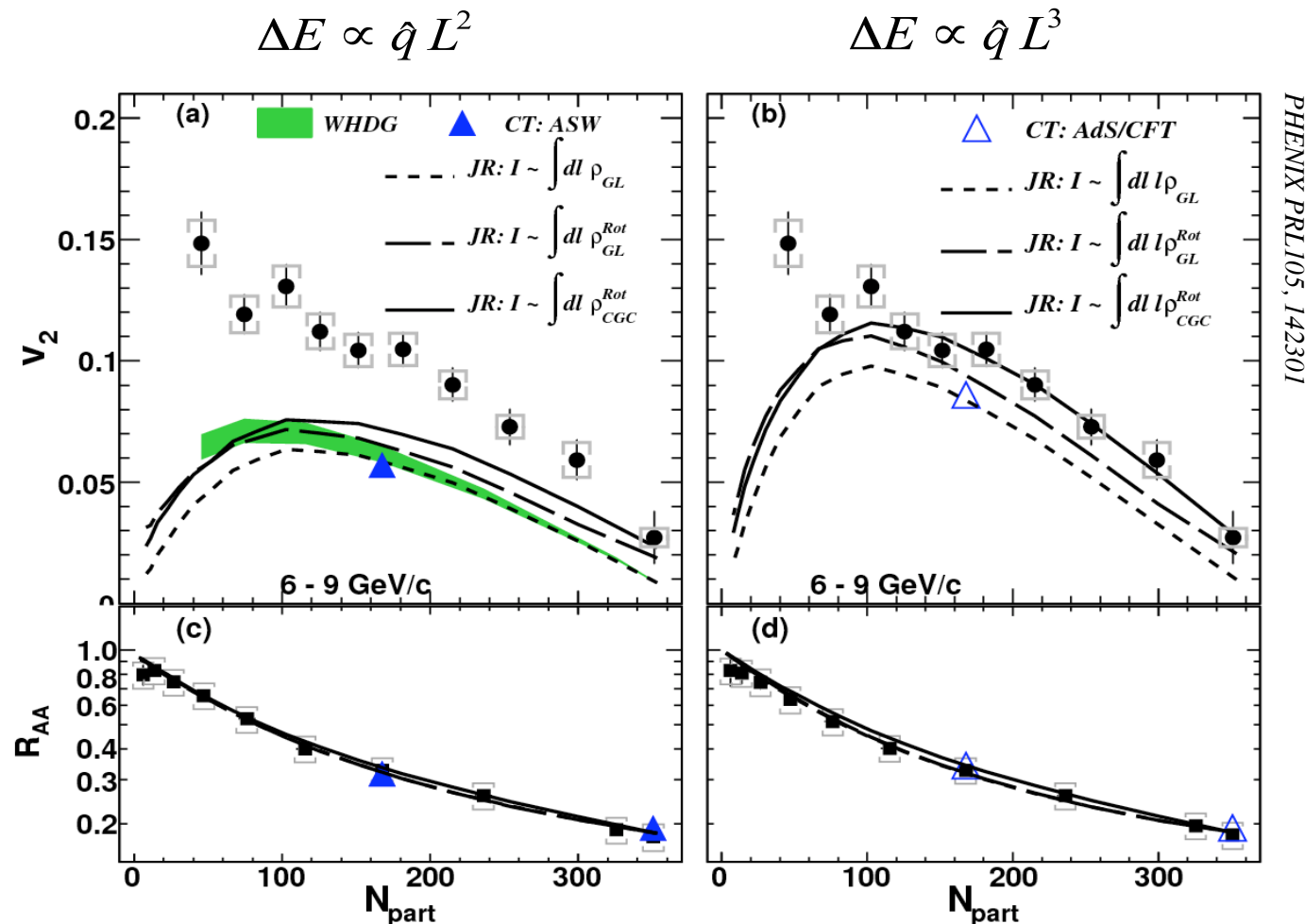
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# Path length dependence and $v_2$



**$v_2$  at high  $p_T$  due to energy loss**

Most calculations give too small effect, still an open issue.  
Also experimentally, need to measure “jet  $v_2$ ”

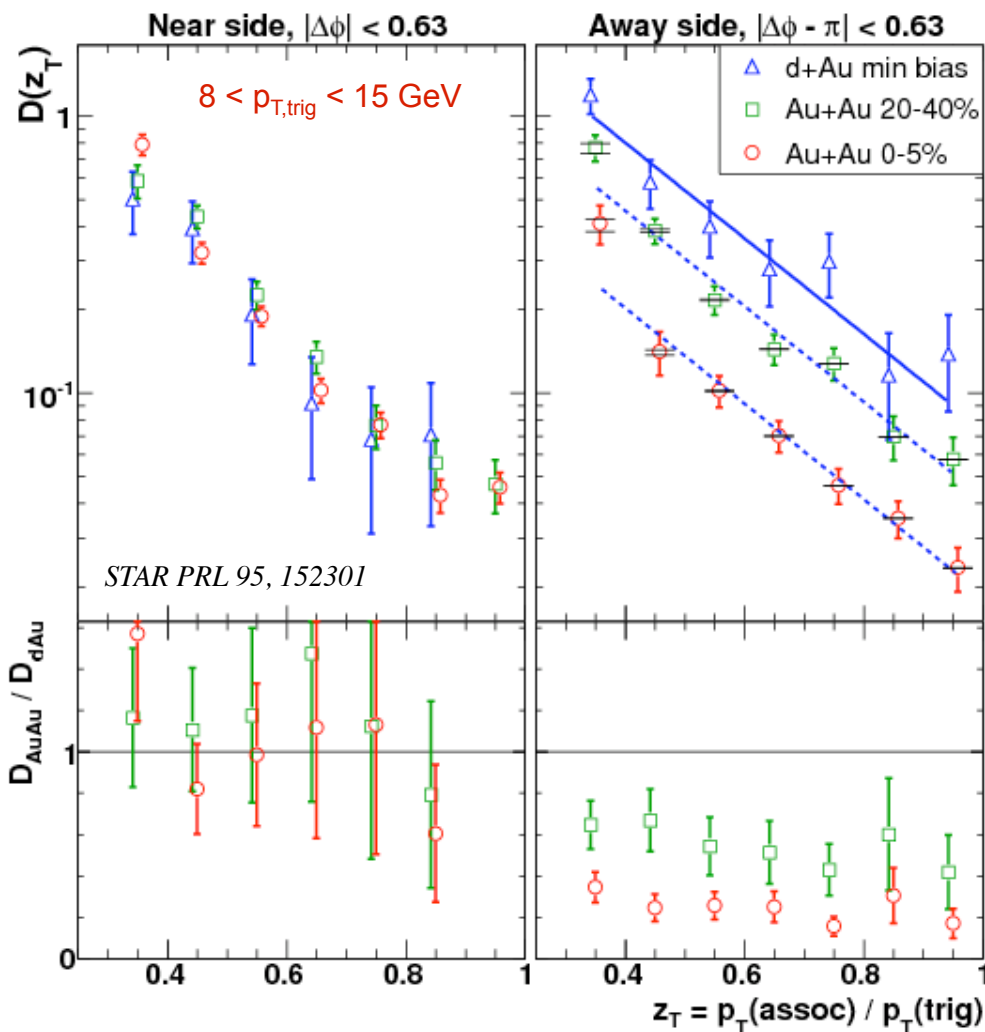
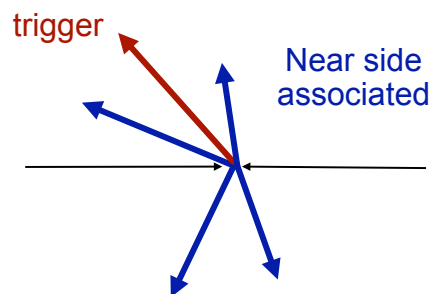


# Di-hadron yield suppression at high- $p_T$

$8 < p_{T,\text{trig}} < 15 \text{ GeV}$

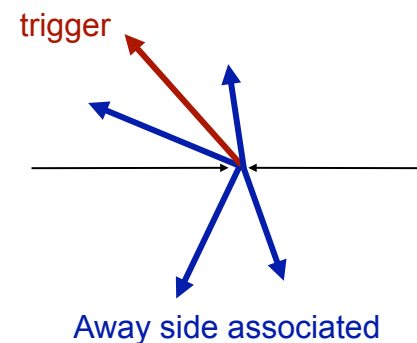
## Near side

Yield of additional particles in the jet



## Away side

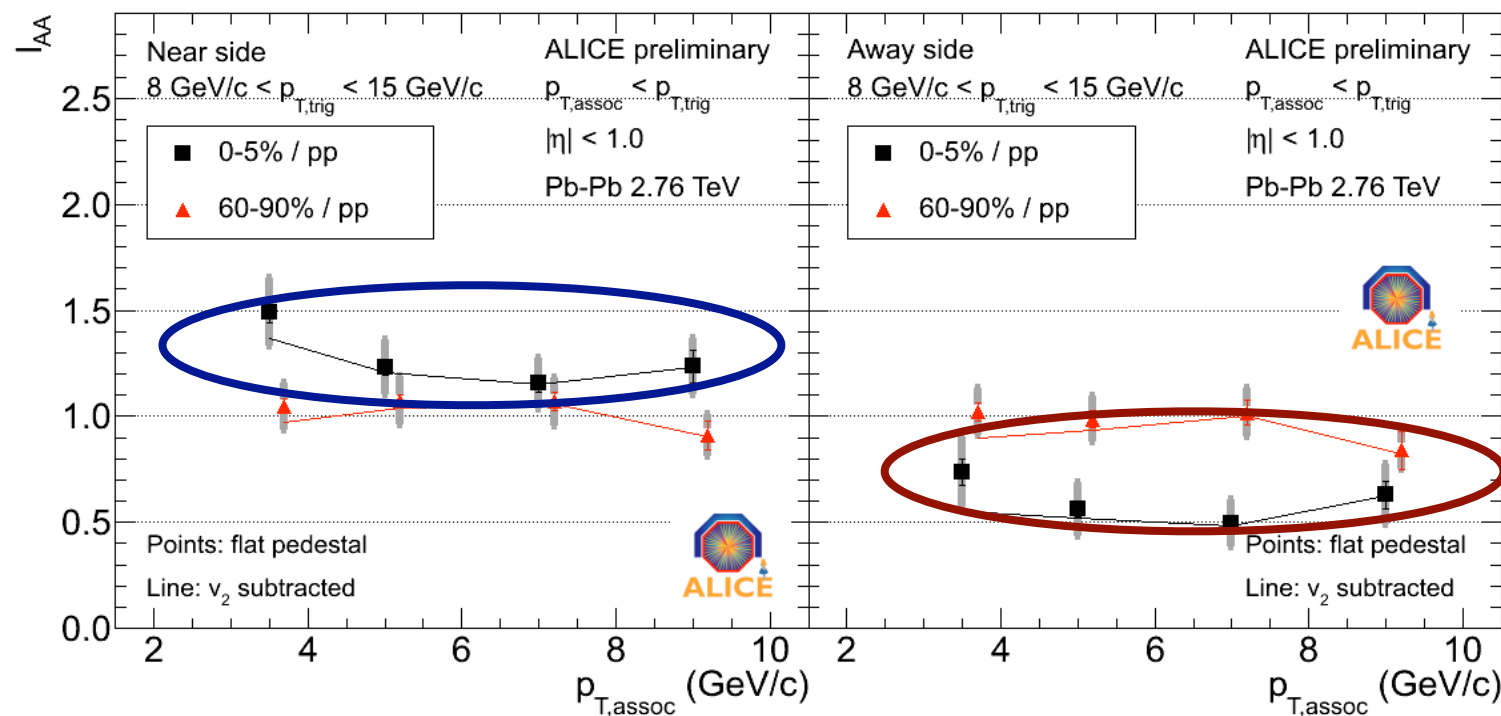
Yield in balancing jet, after energy loss



Near side: No modification  
 $\Rightarrow$  Fragmentation outside medium?

Away-side: Suppressed by factor 4-5  
 $\Rightarrow$  large energy loss  
 But no shape modification in  $z_T$ !

# High- $p_T$ di-hadron correlations at the LHC

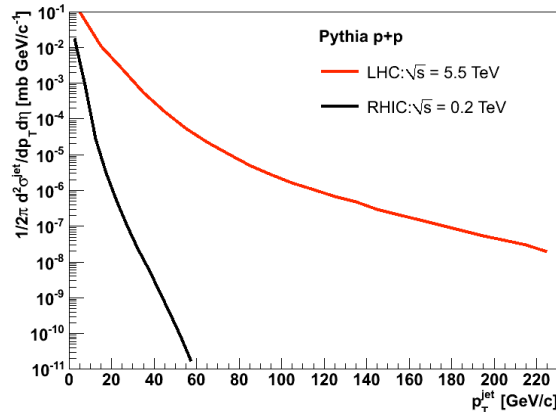
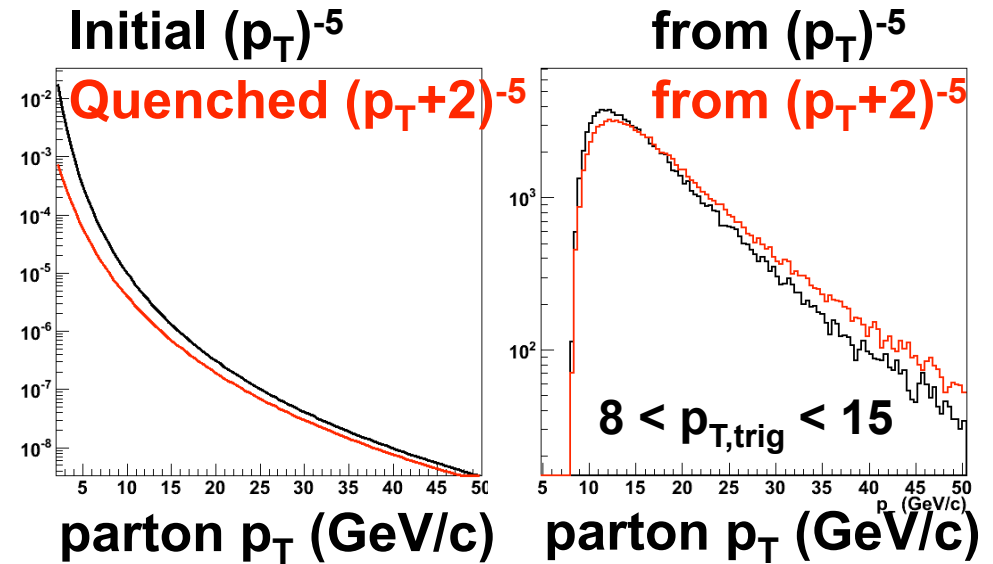


**Near-side of central events slightly enhanced  $I_{AA} \sim 1.2$ !**

**Away side of central events suppressed:  $I_{AA} \sim 0.6$   
less than RHIC, but similar to RHIC no shape modification**

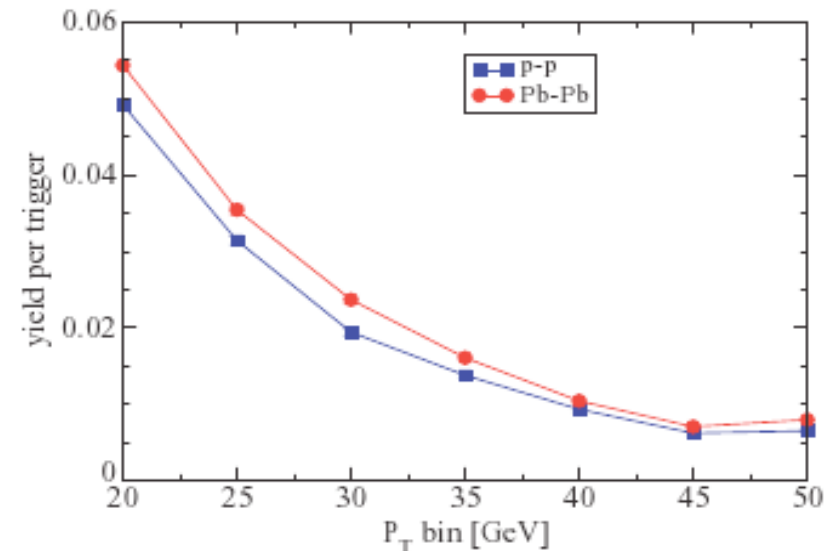
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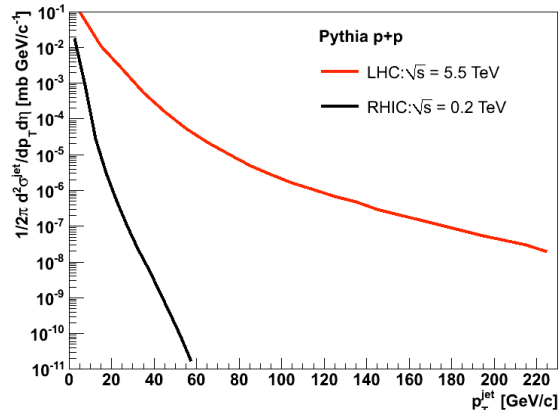
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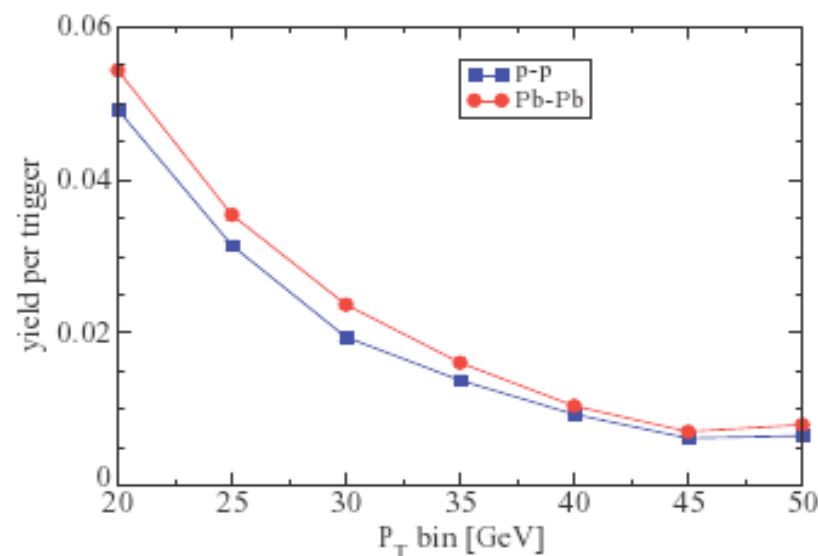
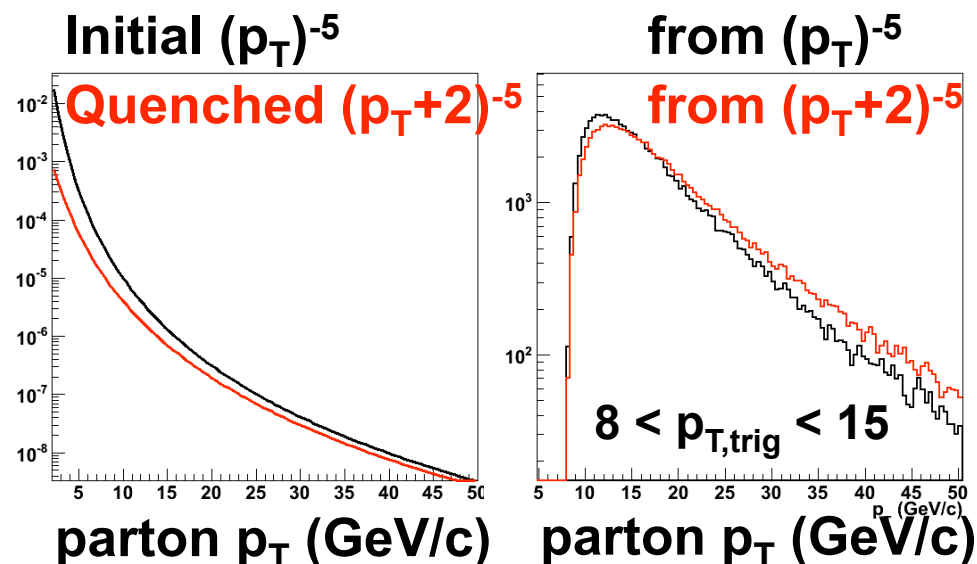
Same trigger  $p_T$  in Pb+Pb collisions probes a different parton spectrum than in p+p collision

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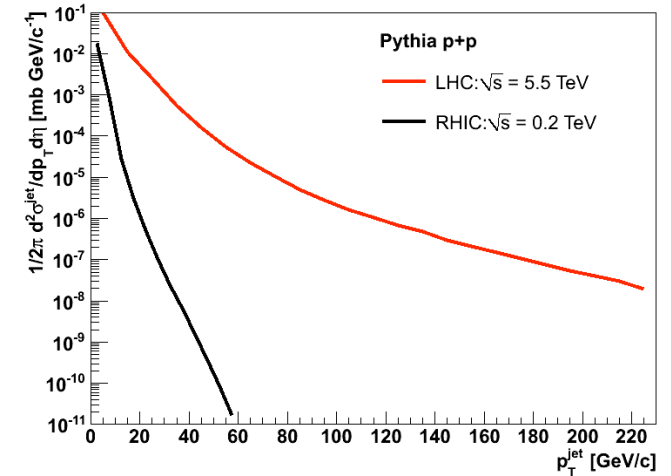
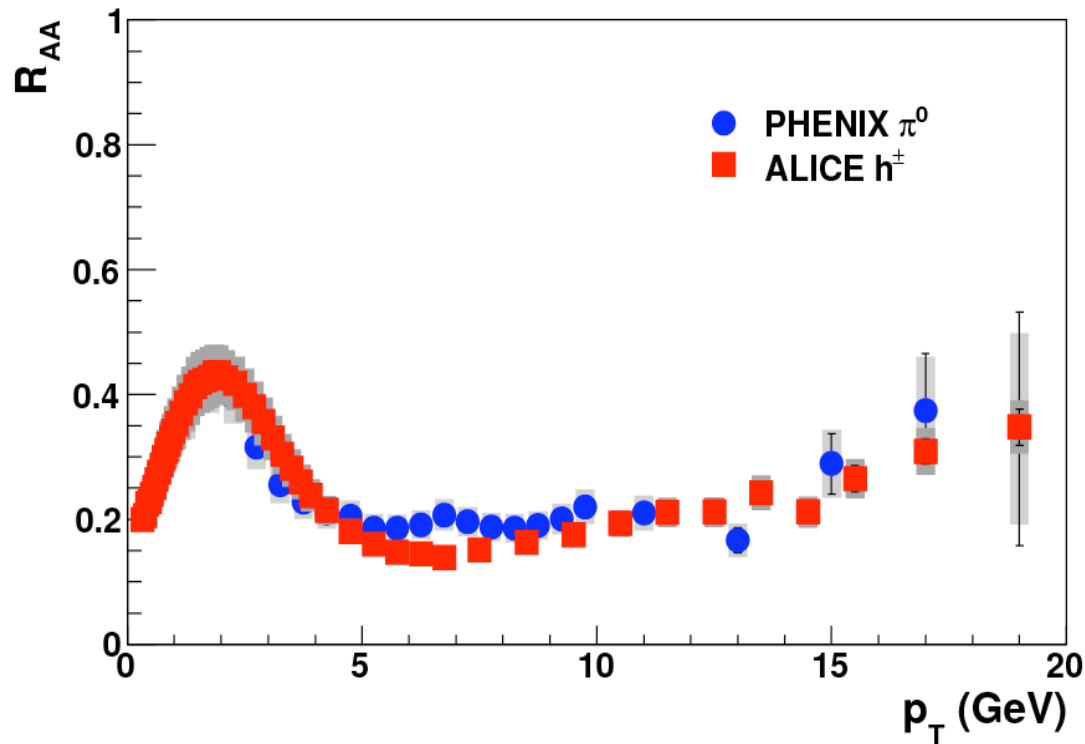


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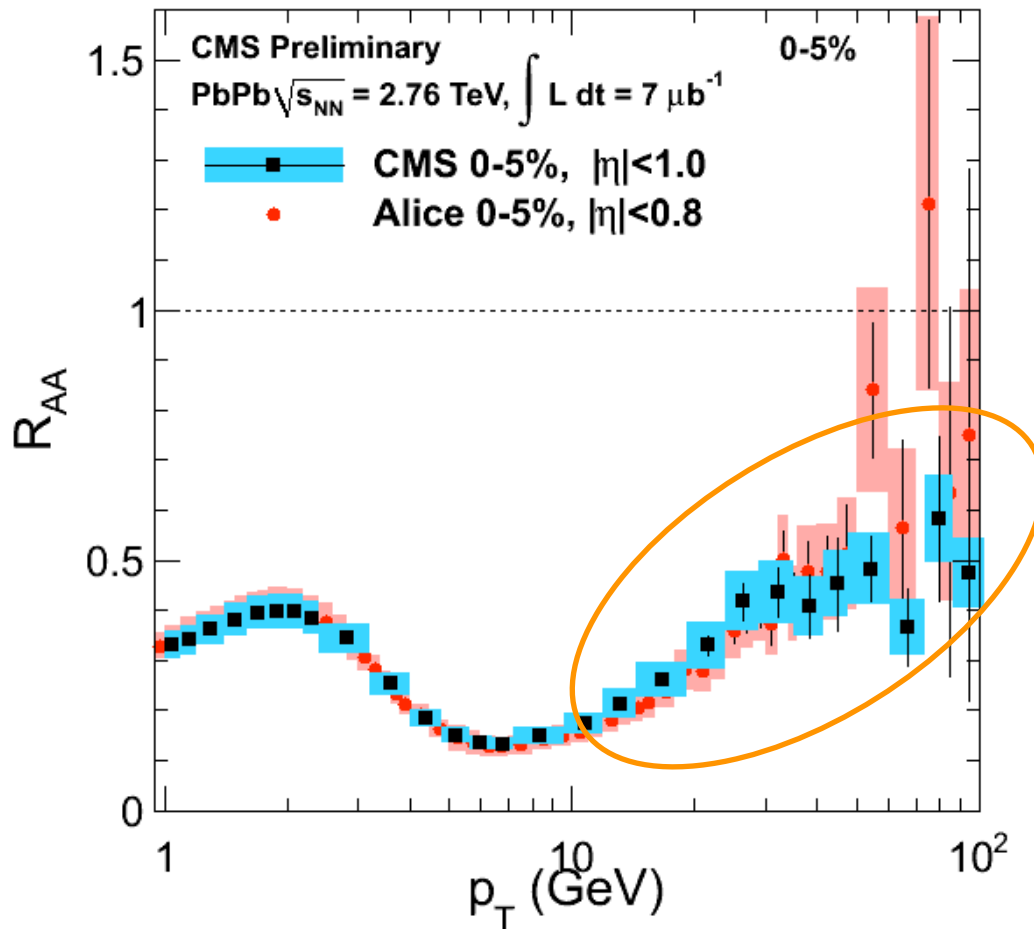


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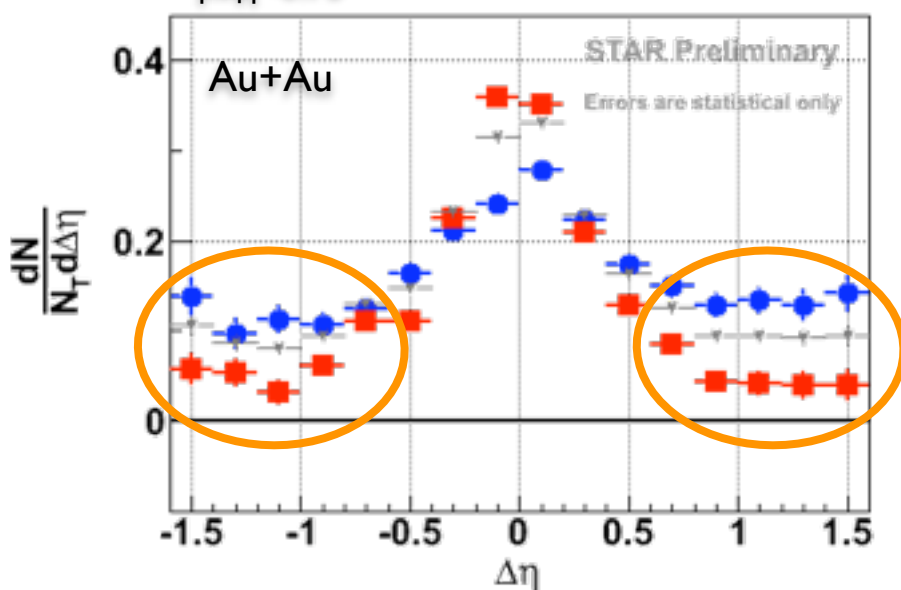
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Rise of  $R_{AA}$  at high  $p_T$  suggests a radiative energy loss picture

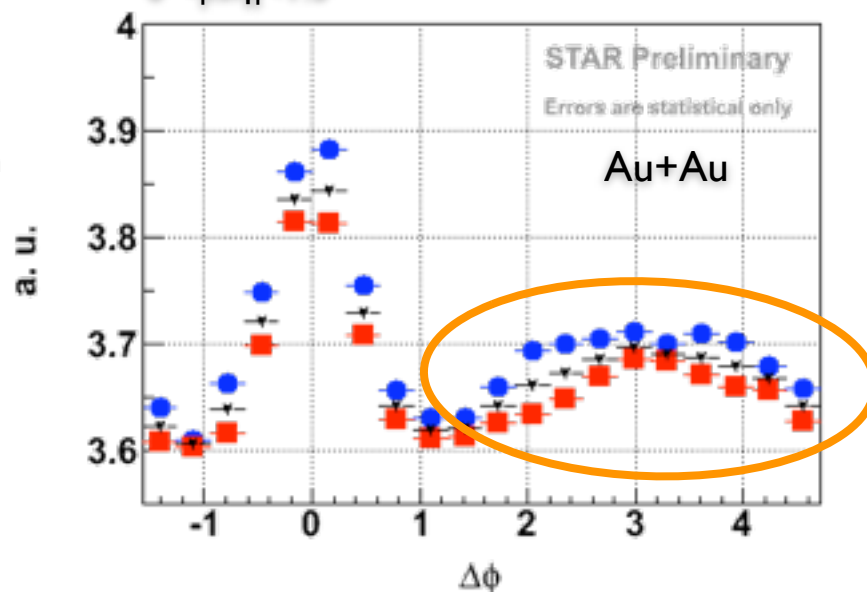
# The ridge/ $v_3$ for “high- $p_T$ ” trigger PID

$$4 < p_{T,\text{trigger}} < 6 \text{ GeV}/c \text{ and } p_{T,\text{assoc.}} > 1.5 \text{ GeV}/c$$

$$|\Delta\phi| < 0.73$$



$$0 < |\Delta\eta| < 1.5$$



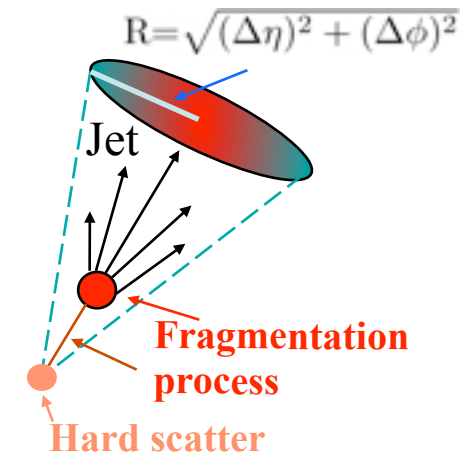
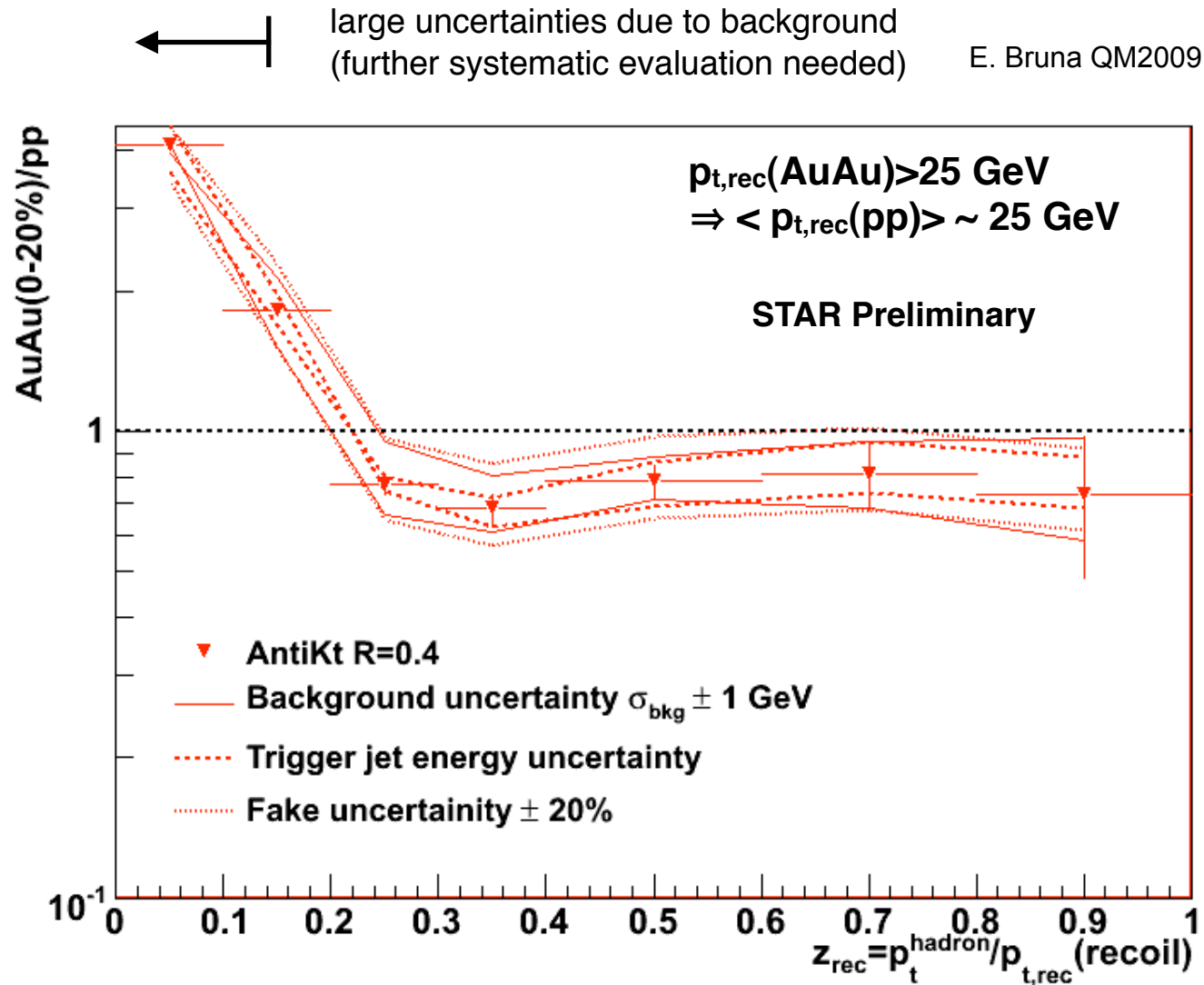
**Near-side:** Larger ridge/ $v_3$  effect for protons as compared to pion  
Jet peak larger for pions, also seen in d+Au

**Away-side:** Difference in away-side structure between protons and pions  
 $v_3$  more visible for proton triggers!?

Are we sampling with proton triggers from recombination more of the bulk in this kinematic? Or other effects?

Can be checked with protons at higher  $p_T$ !

# Recoil “Fragmentation Function” in Au+Au collisions

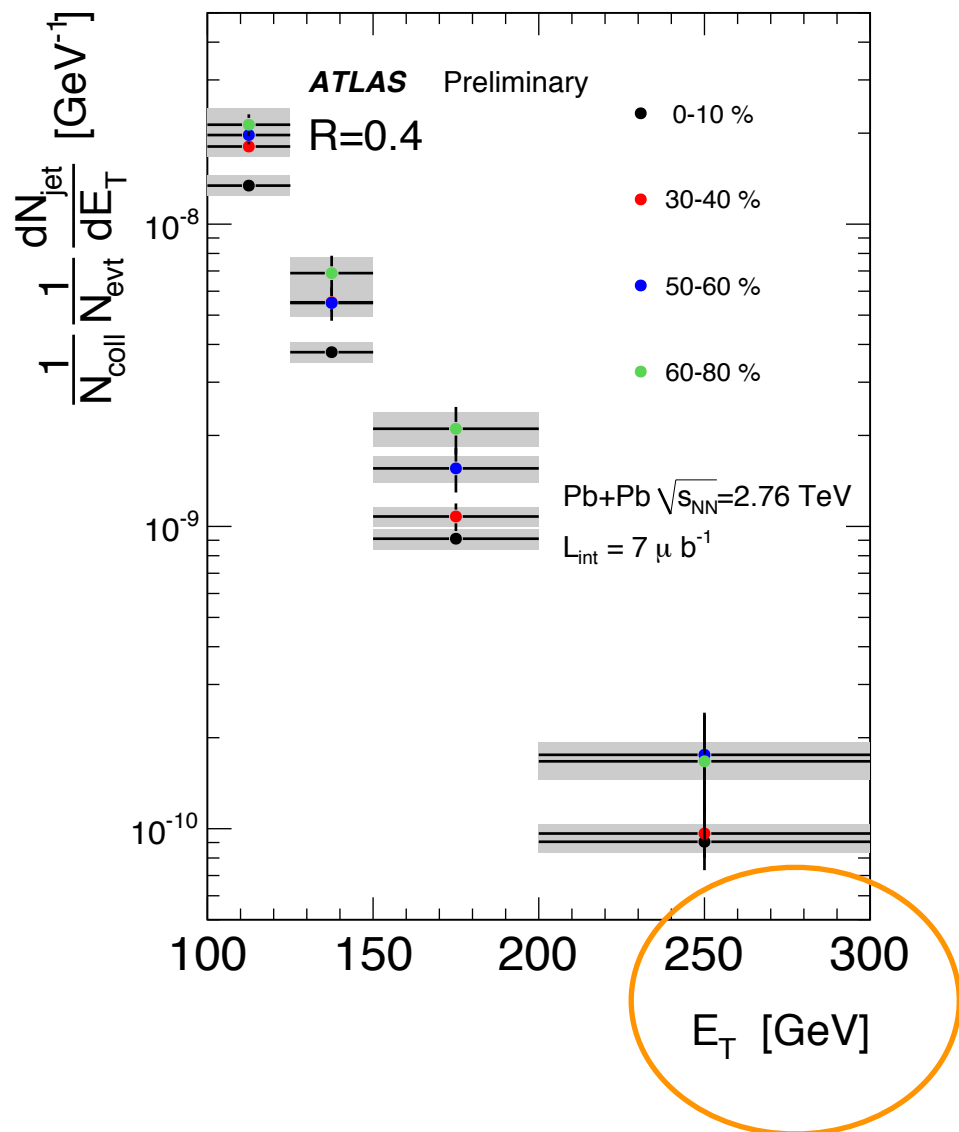


**Small/“no” modification in the “fragmentation function” for jet  $p_t < p_{t,rec}(pp) \sim 25 \text{ GeV}$  at high  $z$ !**

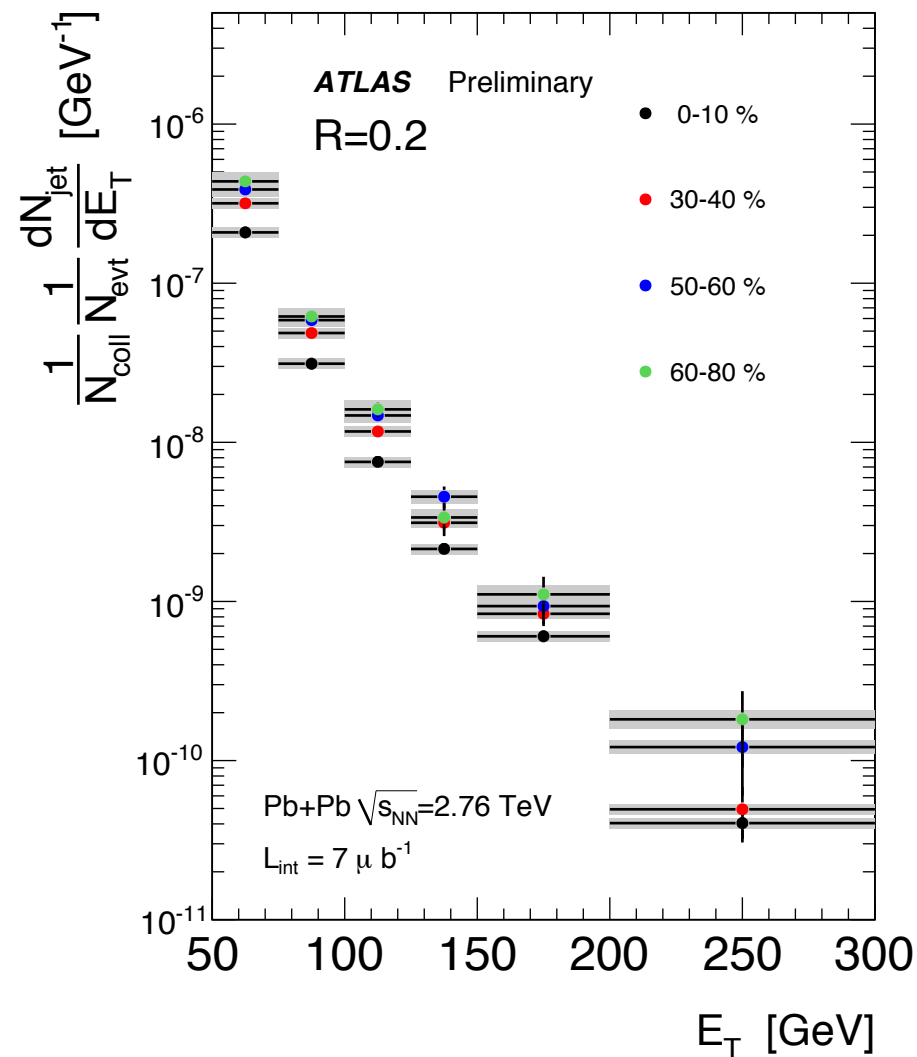


# First year LHC: Jet x-section!

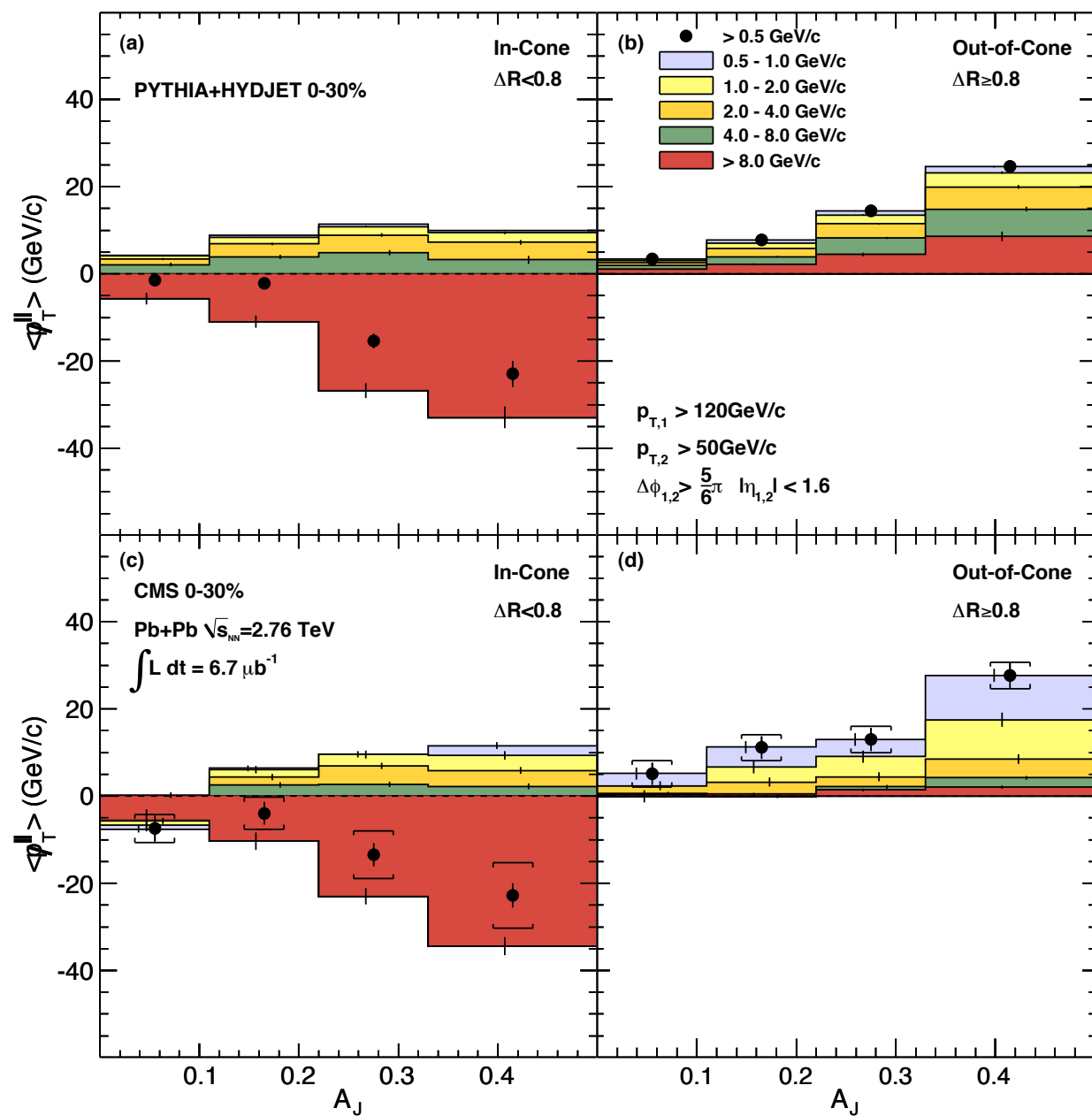
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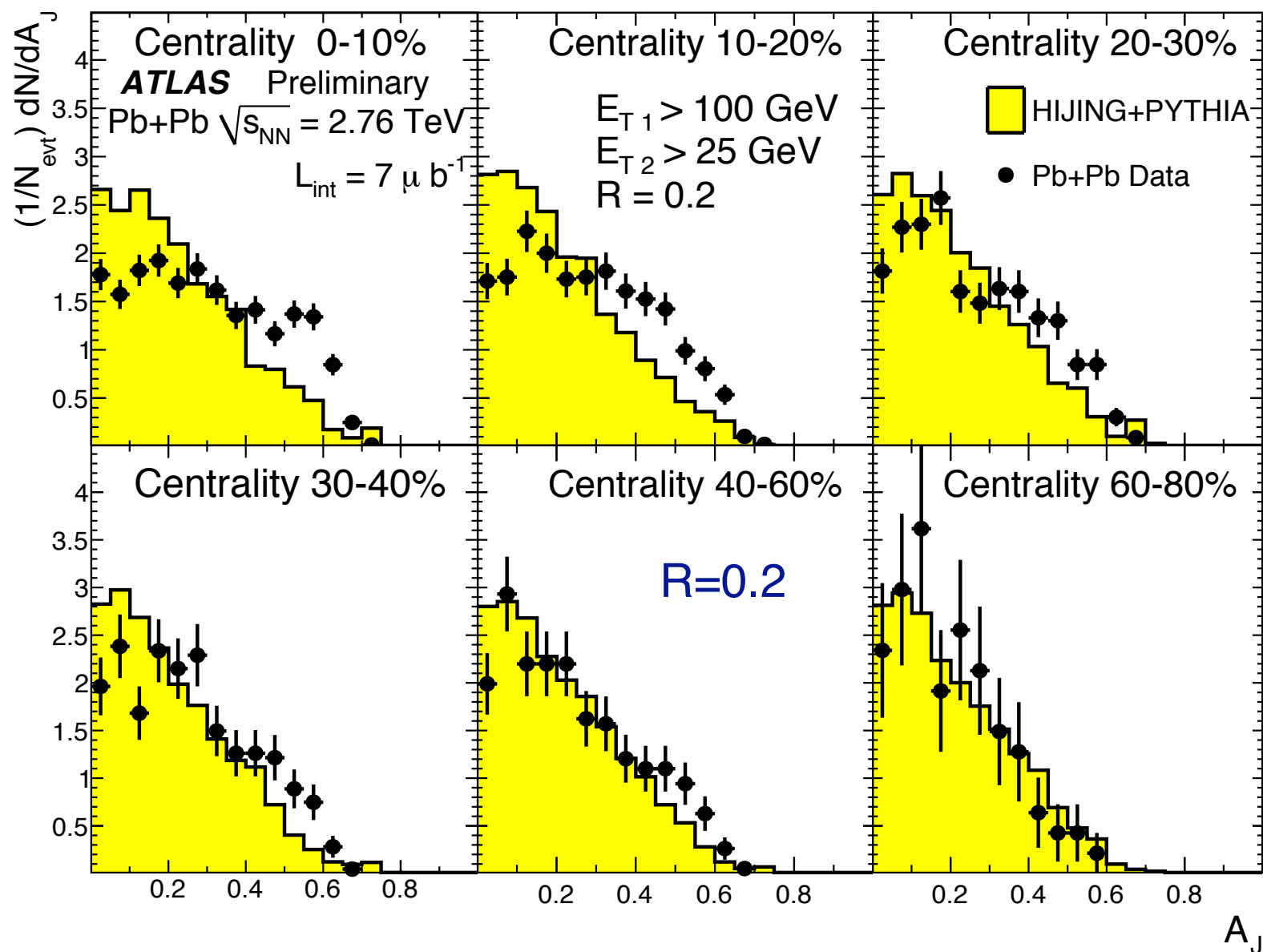
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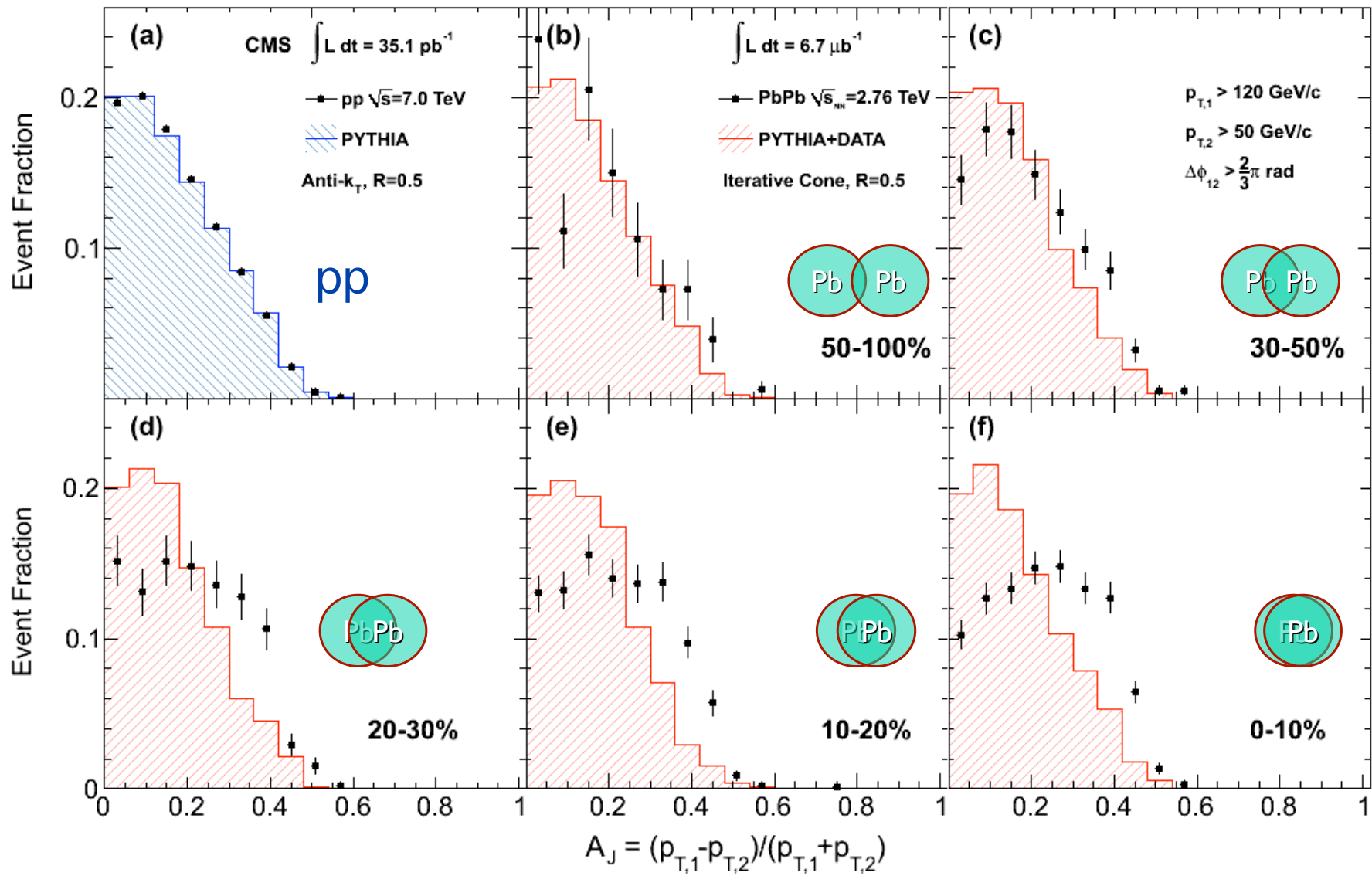
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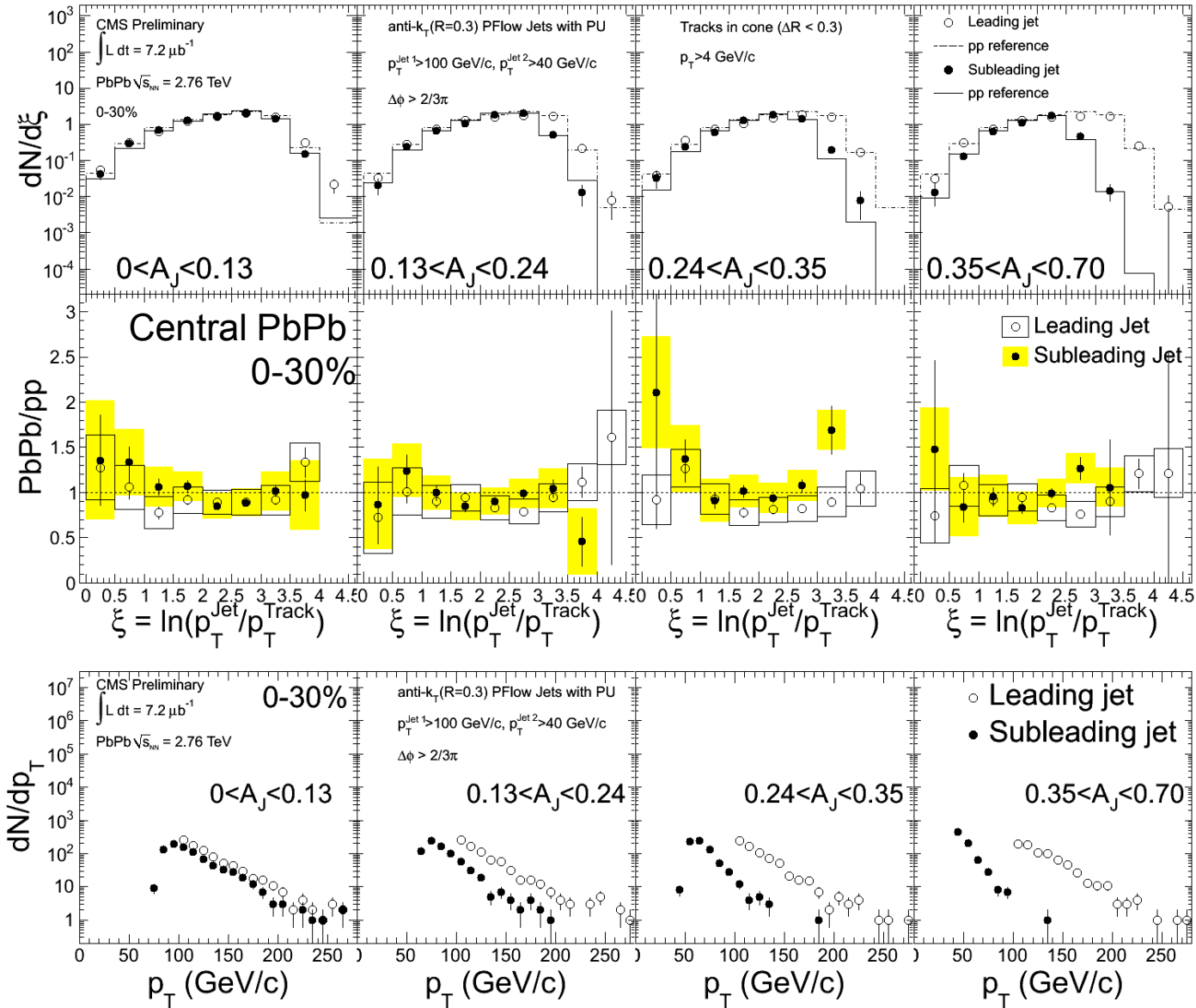
# Di-jet asymmetry ATLAS R=0.3



# Di-jet asymmetry CMS R=0.5

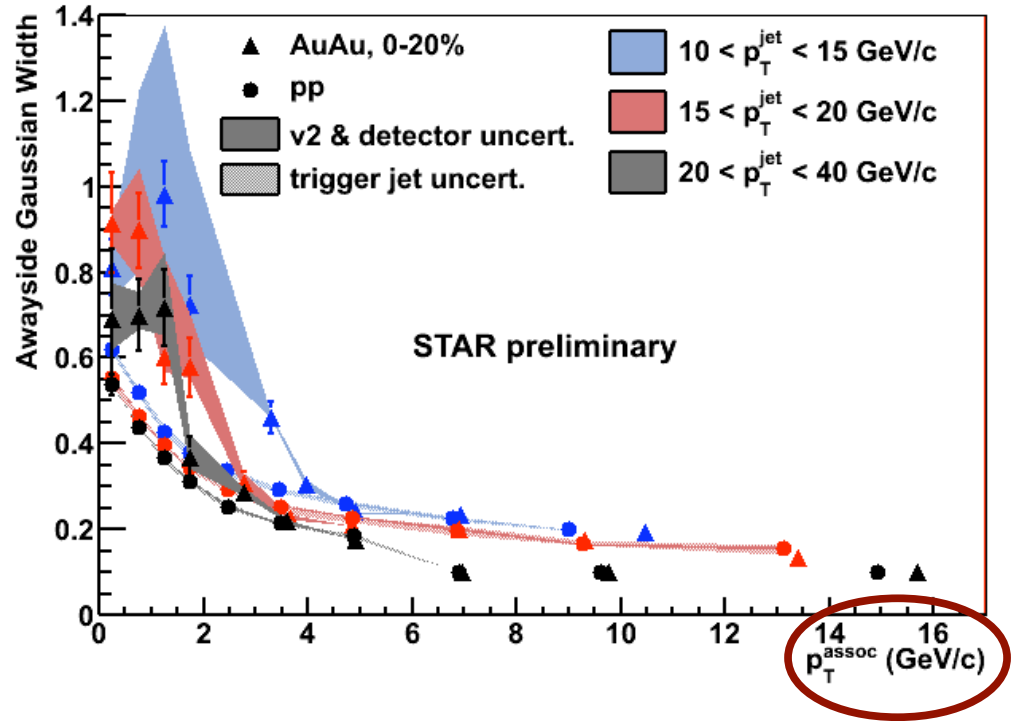
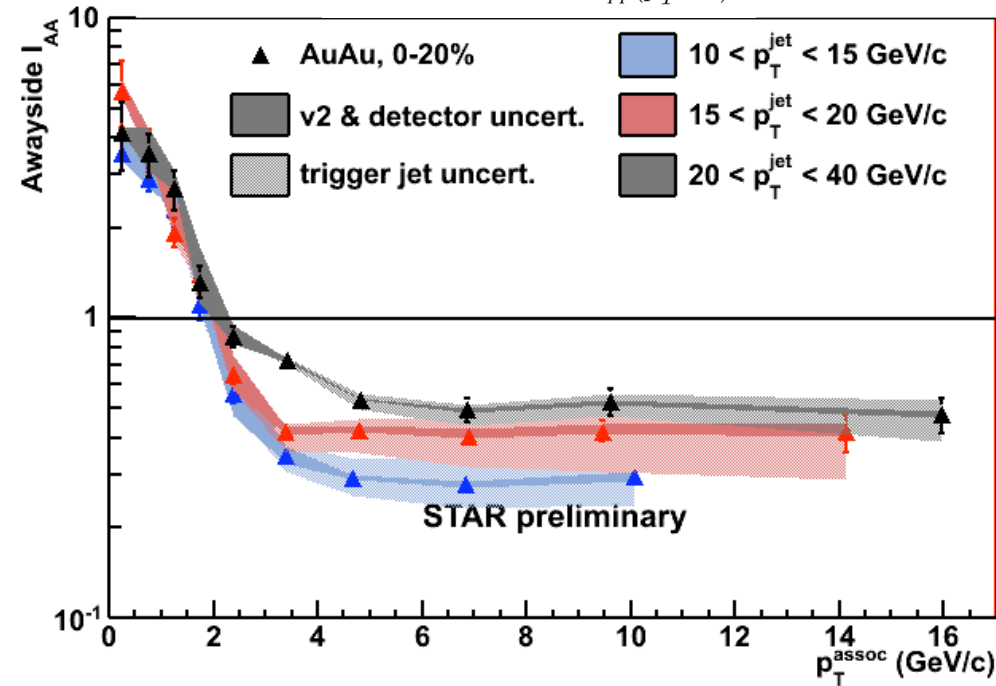


# FF vs. $A_j$

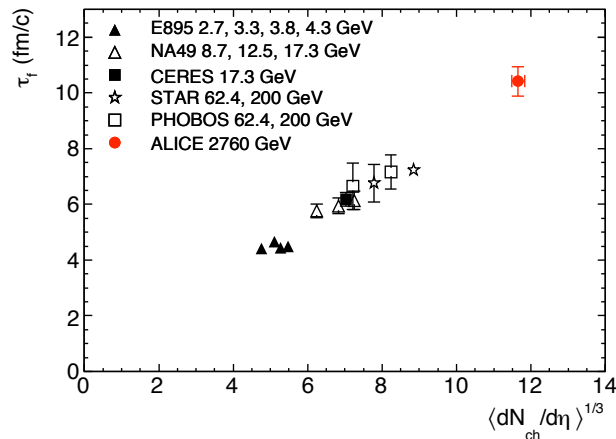
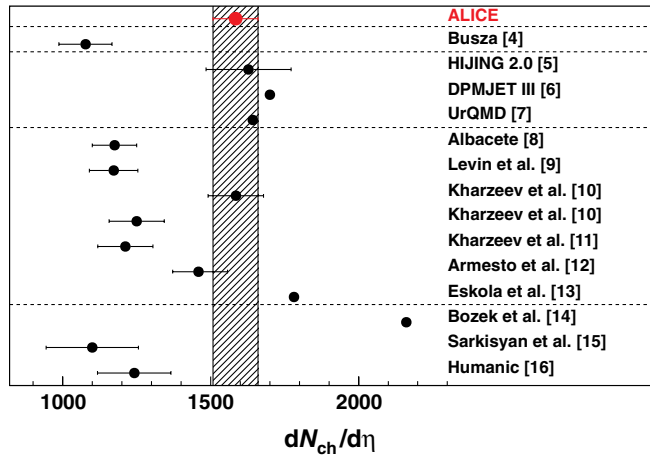
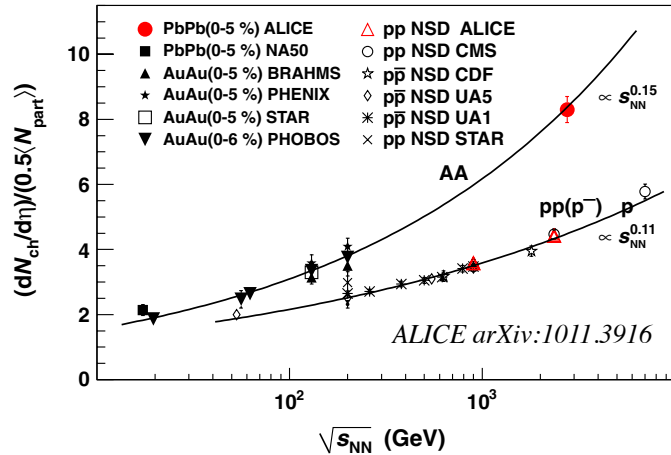


# JH: $I_{AA}$ and width vs. jet energy

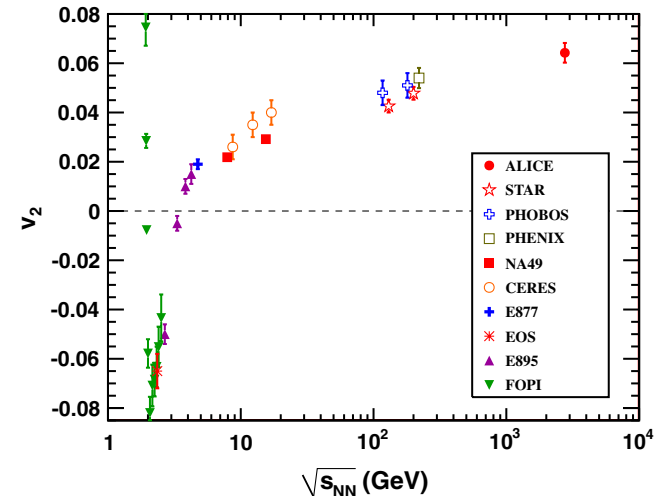
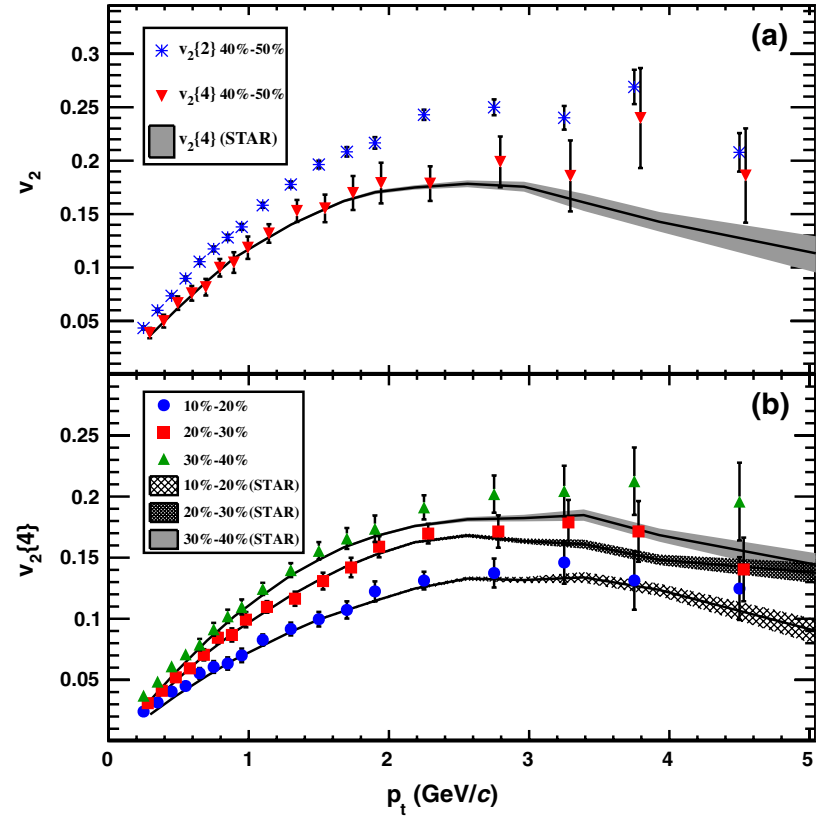
$$I_{AA}(p_T^{assoc}) = \frac{Y_{AA}(p_T^{assoc})}{Y_{pp}(p_T^{assoc})}$$



# Bulk properties at the LHC (ALICE)



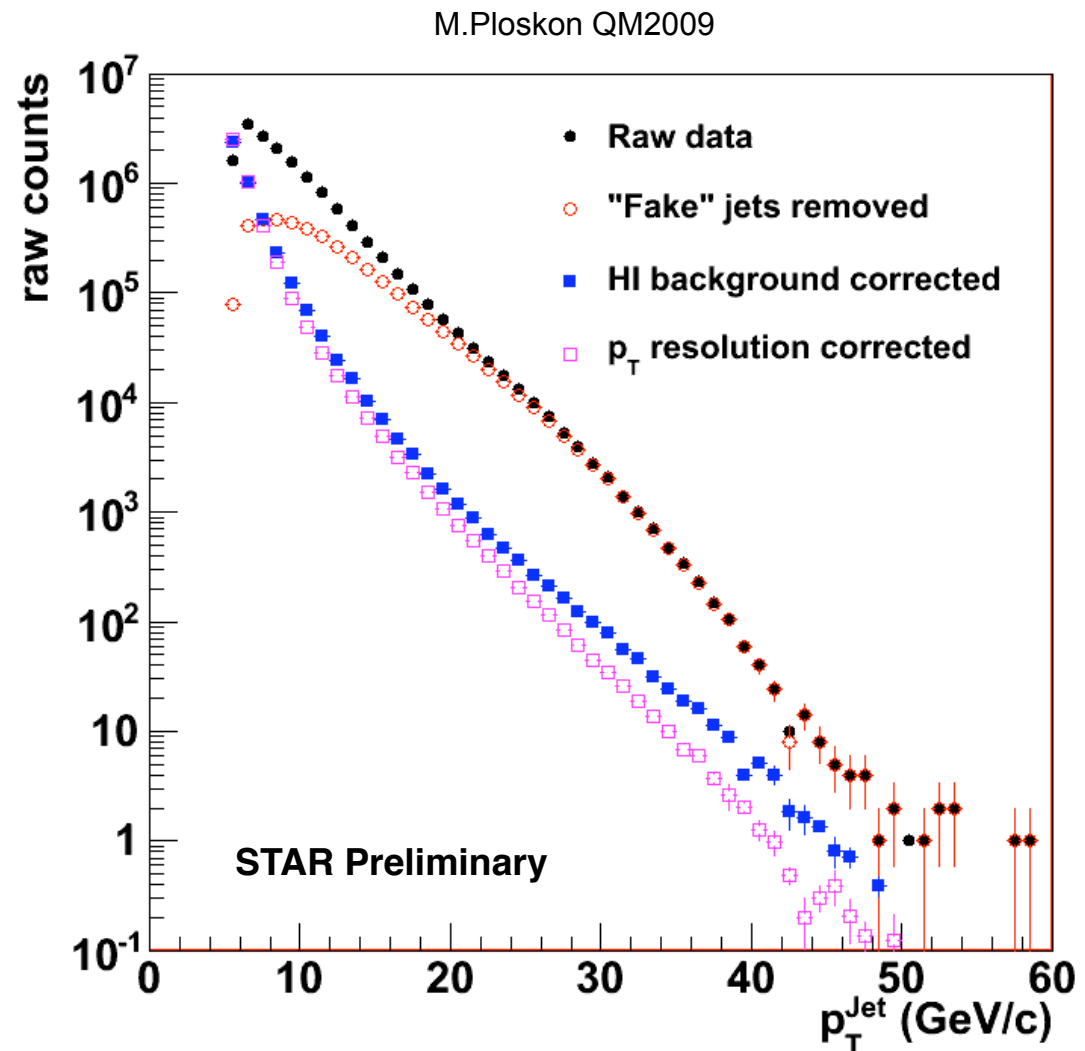
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# Jet Spectrum Unfolding and Corrections

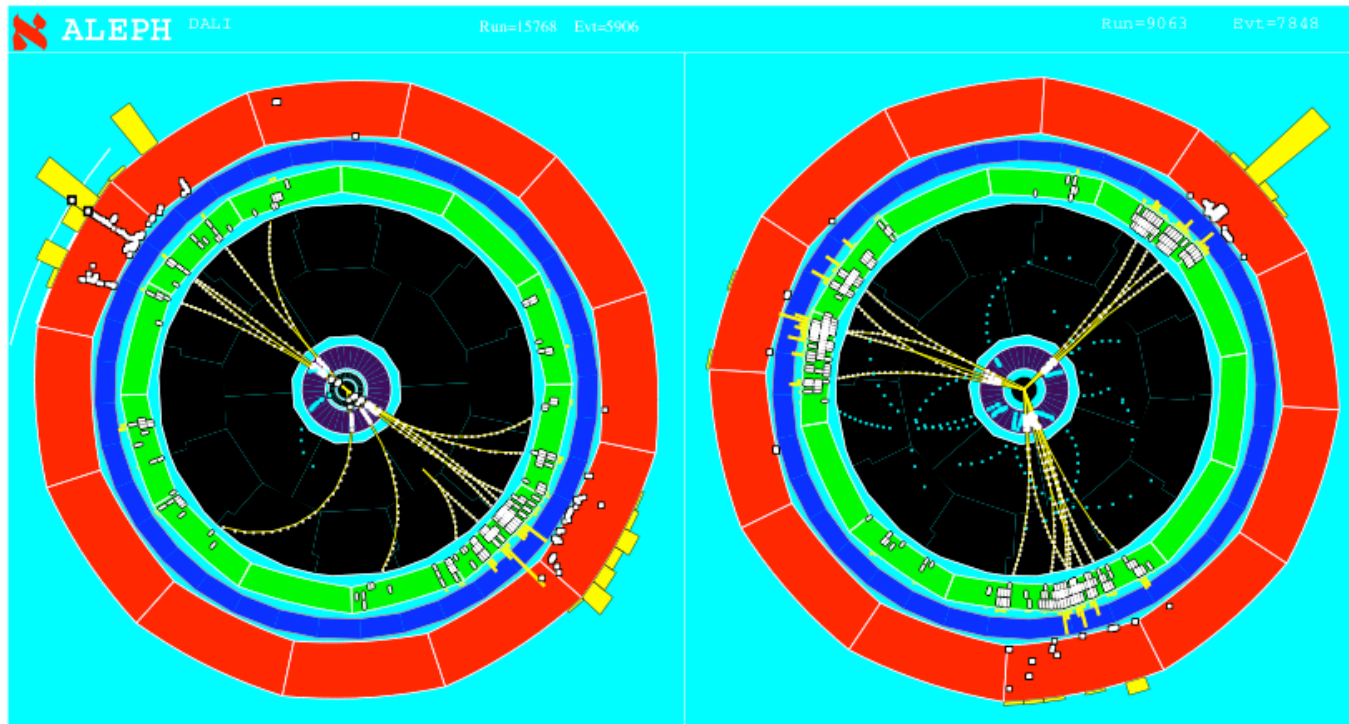
**Corrections for smearing of jet  $p_T$  due to HI bkg. nonuniformities:**

- 1) raw spectrum
- 2) removal of “fake”-jet correlations  
(via randomizing HI event)
- 3) unfolding (bayesian) of HI bkg. fluctuations  
(gaussian approximation)
- 4) correction for  $p_T$  resolution

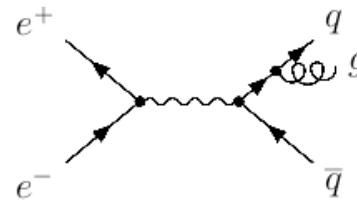
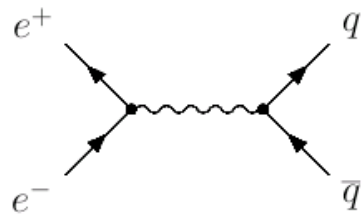




# Jets: “Seeing” quarks and gluons (partons)



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**In high-energy collisions, observe the fragments of quarks, gluons (‘jets’)  
The energy sum of all the fragments = jet energy = parton energy!**